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From July 28 through September 15, the Steelers publicity headquarters will be at St. Bonaventure University, Olean, N. Y. The phone number there is 4816.

1953 STEELER SCHEDULE

PRE-SEASON SCHEDULE

*Aug. 15 - Chicago Bears	at	Forbes Field.
*Aug. 22 - Detroit Lions	at	Syracuse, N. Y.
†Aug. 26 - Baltimore Colts	at	Rochester, N. Y.
*Aug. 29 - Chicago Bears	at	Tulsa, Okla.
+Sept. 9 - Washington Redskins	at	Columbia, S. C.
*Sept. 12 - Green Bay Packers	at	Milwaukee, Wis.
Sept. 20 - Los Angeles Rams	at	Forbes Field.

1953 CHAMPIONSHIP SCHEDULE

Sept.	27 - Detroit Lions	at Detroit, Mich.
Oct.	3 - New York Giants	at Pittsburgh, Pa.
Oct.	11 - Chicago Cardinals	at Pittsburgh, Pa.
*Oct.	17 - Philadelphia Eagle	s at Philadelphia, Pa.
Oct.	24 - Green Bay Packers	s at Pittsburgh, Pa.
Nov.	1 - Philadelphia Eagle	s at Pittsburgh, Pa.
Nov.	8 - Cleveland Browns	at Cleveland, O.
Nov.	15 - New York Giants	at New York, N. Y.
Nov.	22 - Cleveland Browns	at Pittsburgh, Pa.
Nov.	29 - Washington Redski	ins at Pittsburgh, Pa.
Dec.	6 - Chicago Cardinals	at Chicago, Ill.
Dec.	13 - Washington Redski	ins at Washington, D. C.

1952 STEELER RESULTS

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Sept.	28 -	Philadelphia Eagles :	31 a	Pittsburgh 25	
*Oct.	4 -	Cleveland Browns	21 a	Pittsburgh 20	
Oct.	12 -	Pittsburgh 3	21 a	Philadelphia 26	
Oct.	19 -	Washington Redskins :	28 a	Pittsburgh 24	
Oct.	26 -	Pittsburgh	34 a	t Chicago Cardinals 28	
Nov.	2 -	Pittsburgh	24 a	Washington Redskins 23	
Nov.	9 -	Detroit Lions	31 a	t Pittsburgh 6	ċ
Nov.	16 -	Pittsburgh	28 a	t Cleveland Browns 29	
Nov.	23 -	Chicago Cardinals	14 a	t Pittsburgh 17	٩
Nov.	30 -	New York Giants	7 a	t Pittsburgh 63	è
Dec.	7 -			t San Francisco '49ers 7	P
				t Los Angeles Rams 28	

Saturday Night Game. † Wednesday Night.

COACHING STAFF

JOE BACH (Head Coach)

Joe Bach, a balding, broad-shouldered gentleman of fifty-one years, who is best-remembered as one of Notre Dame's Seven Mules, completed an unusual cycle when he signed as head coach of the Pittsburgh Steelers football team on December 18, 1951.

For this was the second time within the previous 17 years that Bach had been nominated as headmaster of the Pittsburgh professional team—a situation probably without parallel in the National League's long history.

Bach first became head coach of the Pittsburgh team (then known as the Pirates) in 1935 when the club was starting its third season in the pro league. He stayed two seasons before returning to the collegiate coaching ranks and in his final year, his team narrowly missed winning the eastern division championship. As a matter of fact, the Pirates lost the title in the final game of the season.

Very few people in football today have had a richer athletic background than Bach. He will be starting on his twenty-ninth year of coaching this fall.

He was born in Tower, Minn., on January 17, 1901. He began his collegiate athletic career at little Carleton school in Northfield, Minn., but, after one semester, transferred to Notre Dame.

Bach started his long coaching career at Syracuse University as an aide to Pete Reynolds and stayed in upstate New York until he became an assistant to his old teammate, Elmer Layden. Layden then was the head coach at Duquesne University in Pittsburgh. That was 1929.

When Layden resigned at the close of the 1933 season to take over the head coaching post at Notre Dame, Bach succeeded him as the No. 1 football man with the Dukes. In his one trial as head coach, he gave the Dukes one of the two strongest teams in the school's history. His 1934 eleven was among the country's leading scorers.

During the following two years, Bach had his first brush with the pros and, at the same time, worked with Howard Harpster at Carnegie Tech as his line coach.

From 1937 through 1941, Bach was head coach at Niagara University and 1942 found him as the head tutor of the Fort Knox army eleven.

In 1948, he returned to the pros, spending some time at Detroit, Boston and New York. It was during this period – seven years, to be exact – that Bach gained a thorough knowledge of the present day pro coaches and personnel.

During the 1950-51 seasons, Bach was head coach at St. Bonaventure College in Olean, N. Y.

Bach is married and has a daughter, Joanne.

WALTER KIESLING

(Assistant Coach)

Walter Kiesling, the self-styled "old man" of the Pittsburgh Steelers coaching staff, celebrates his twenty-seventh season in professional football this year. He was born in St. Paul, Minn., and is a graduate of St. Thomas College.

The 49-year-old mentor started his pro career 28 years ago with a team known as the Duluth Eskimos.

Big Kies, as he is known to his associates, has compiled a creditable record both as a player and a coach in organized football. He has played and coached with some of the all-time greats in the game.

After two seasons with the Eskimos, he shifted his lineman talents to the Pottsville (Pa.) eleven. Then he spent five seasons with the Chicago Cardinals, two with the Chicago Bears and one with the Green Bay Packers. In 1932, while playing with the Cards, he was named all-league tackle.

He first came to Pittsburgh in 1937 to join the staff of fabulous Johnny Blood, who was then player-coach of the Pittsburgh team. When Blood stepped out in 1939, Kiesling took over as head coach of the Steelers and in 1942, his team just missed winning the eastern championship.

In 1943, he served as co-coach of the Phil-Pitt combine and in 1944, he held a similar post when the Cardinals and Steelers merged. He then returned to the Packers as an assistant coach and remained in Green Bay until returning to Pittsburgh, where he resides with his wife.

CHARLES CHERUNDOLO

(Assistant Coach)

Time finally caught up with Charles (Chuck) Cherundolo, one of the best-known and most popular football players ever to hitch up a Pittsburgh Steeler uniform.

After ten seasons of active player service in the National League, the affable athlete from Old Forge (Pa.) made good a three-year threat and resigned at the end of the 1948 season. Immediately, he was offered and accepted an assistant coaching berth with the Steelers.

Cherundolo first gained national football fame in the late thirties when he was selected for the center post on most All-America elevens. At the time, Charley was playing for his alma mater, Penn State. In 1937, he signed a pro contract with the Cleveland Rams, a club which since has switched its franchise to Los Angeles. He was with the Rams through the 1939 season and then was traded to the Philadelphia Eagles.

In 1941, he joined the Pittsburgh Steelers and during the 1942 campaign, he entered military service with the Navy. He returned to Pittsburgh in 1945 and played until his retirement in 1951.

Always ranked as a top center both in the college and pro ranks, Cherundolo, now 37, moves into the coaching field and already a number of outstanding observers have tabbed him as a "gentleman most likely to succeed."

During the off-season, Cherundolo resides in Pittsburgh, where he is a highly successful business executive. He is married and the father of two children.

EDGAR JONES

Assistant Coach

Edgar Jones, a young man with a wealth of football experience, will receive his professional coaching baptism this fall as backfield coach of the Steelers.

Jones, sometimes called "Special Delivery," was one of Pitt's brightest athletes in the University's "de-emphasis era," which followed the resignation of Dr. John Bain (Jock) Sutherland in 1939.

A native of Scranton, Pa., Jones came to Pitt in 1938 and before he was graduated, he established a number of all-time football records at the school. His greatest day came in 1941 when Pitt upset a heavily-favored Fordham and eliminated the Rams from a Rose Bowl bid.

He entered the Navy in 1942 and played for service teams in both baseball and football. He was a major league pitching prospect until he injured his shoulder in a football scrimmage. The New York Giants, the Cleveland Indians and the Cincinnati Reds all were interested in Special Delivery.

He saw brief service with George Halas' Chicago Bears before switching over to the Cleveland Browns in the now-defunct All America conference. He spent four seasons with Paul Brown.

Prior to coming to the Steelers, Jones was an assistant to Lowell (Red) Dawson, the headmaster at Pitt. He spent two seasons as an assistant coach at his alma mater.

Edgar is married and is the father of a young daughter. His family now lives in Pittsburgh.

ALL-TIME STEELER FOOTBALLISTICS

Compiled by Ray Byrne

INDIVIDUAL - SEASON

IOST: Year	Player	Yds./No.
Yards Gained Rushing1950	Joe Geri (Georgia)	
Yards Gained Passing1952	Jim Finks (Tulsa)	
Times Carried Ball1950	Joe Geri (Georgia)	188*
Passes Attempted 1952	Jim Finks (Tulsa)	336
Passes Completed1952	Jim Finks (Tulsa)	158
Passes Caught 1952	Elbie Nickel (Cincinnati)	
Yards on Passes Caught1952	Elbie Nickel (Cincinnati)	
Touchdown Passes Caught1952	Elbie Nickel (Cincinnati)	9
Touchdown Passes Thrown 1952	Jim Finks (Tulsa)	
Total Yards for Season1952	Jim Finks (Tulsa)	2344
Total Points Scored1951	Joe Geri (Georgia)	
Touchdowns Scored \$\ \begin{align*} \ 1947 \ 1952 \end{align*}	Steve Lach (Duke) Elbie Nickel (Cincinnati)	9
Extra Points Scored1947	Joe Glamp (LSU)	48
Field Goals Made1950	Joe Geri (Georgia)	8
Number Punts1952	Pat Brady (Bradley-Nevada)	
Best Punting Average { 1949 1952	Joe Geri (Georgia)	43.2 43.2
Number Punt Returns 1947	Walt Slater (Tennessee)	
Yards Punt Returns1947	Walt Slater (Tennessee)	435*
Touchdowns on Punt Returns 1952	Ray Mathews (Clemson)	2
Number Kickoff Returns 1944	Johnny Grigas (Holy Cross)	23
Yards on Kickoff Returns 1952	Lynn Chandnois (Mich. Stat	e) 599°
TD's on Kickoff Returns 1952	Lynn Chandnois (Mich. State	e)_ 2
Passes Intercepted by { 1946 1951	Bill Dudley (Virginia) Howard Hartley (Duke)	10 10
Yds. on Pass Interc. Returns1946	Bill Dudley (Virginia)	242
Touchdowns Rushing { 1947 1948	Steve Lach (Duke) Jerry Shipkey (UCLA)	8 8
Points after Touchdown 1952	Gary Kerkorian (Stanford)	35

INDIVIDUAL - GAME

MOST; Player	Yds./No.
Passes AttemptedJim Finks vs. Cleve., 11/16/52; vs. Rams, 12/14/52	44
Passes CompletedJim Finks vs. L. A. Rams, 12/14/52	22
Yards Gained Passing Jim Finks vs. Cleve. Browns, 11/16/52	306
Passes Caught Elbie Nickel vs. L. A. Rams, 12/14/52. Val Jansante vs. Phila. Eagles, 11/30/49	10
Yards Gained on Passes Elbie Nickel vs. L. A. Rams, 12/14/52	202
Yards Gained Rushing. Jerry Nuzum vs. Green Bay, 11/20/49	168
Total Yards (Rush-Pass) Jim Finks vs. Cleve. Browns, 11/16/52	311
Total Points Joe Geri vs. Chi. Cards, 11/23/50	
Most Field Goals Joe Geri vs. Phila. Eagles, 11/5/50.	3
Most Times Carried Ball Joe Geri vs. N. Y. Giants, 11/15/50	29
TD Passes Thrown	1

LONGEST PLAYS

Run from Scrimmage	Bobby Gage vs. Chi. Bears, 12/4/49	971
Pass Play	_M. Condit to Bill Dudley vs. Boston, 10/27/46	80
Pass Interception	Martin Kettler, 1933	99*
Field Goal	Leroy Zimmerman. 1944	49*
Punt Return	Ray Mathews vs. Wash., 10/19/52; Chi, Cards, 10/26/52	70
Kickoff Return	Lynn Chandnois vs. Phila. Eagles, 10/12/52	93*
Blocked Kick Return.	Dale Dodrill vs. L. A. Rams, 12/14/52	83
Punt	Joe Geri vs. Green Bay, 11/20/49	82*

MISCELLANEOUS RECORDS

Best Season: 1947-Won 8, Lost 4 . . . Worst Season: 1944-Won 0, Lost 10. Top Scoring Season: 1952, 300 Points Scored.

Fewest Points: 1934, 53 . . . Fewest Points by Opponents: 1947, 117.

Longest Winning Streak: 1947, six games, Oct. 12 vs. Boston-Nov. 16, vs. N. Y.
 Shutouts by Pittsburgh: 12 . . . vs. Brooklyn, 4; Philadelphia, 3; Boston, 2;
 Cincinnati, Chicago Cards and N. Y. Bulldogs, 1 each.

Shutouts vs. Pittsburgh: 33 . . . by N. Y. Giants, 6; Philadelphia, 5; Washington, 5; Brooklyn, 4; Boston, Chicago Bears, Green Bay, 3 each; Cleveland, 2; St. Louis, 1.

*Led NFL that Year. ‡ Tied NFL Record that Year. ‡‡ Tied All-Time NFL Record.

TEAM - SEASON

MOST:	Year		Yds./No.
First Downs Rushing	1949		126
First Downs Passing	1952		110
Total First Downs	1948		210
Yards Gained Rushing	1949		2209
Yards Gained Passing	1952		2504
Total Yards Gained	1952		3708
Passes Attempted	1952		365
Passes Completed	1952		167
Opponents Passes Intercepted	1951		30
Yards Gained Intercepted Passes	1951		461*
Best Punting Average	1952		43.0
Yards Gained Punt Returns	1952		557*
Yards Gained Kickoff Returns	1952		1128
Opponents Fumbles Recovered	1935		38*
Touchdowns Rushing1943-47	-49-52	Commence & A. A. A. A. A. A.	21
Touchdowns Passing	1952		21
Points After Touchdown	1952		35
Total Points	1952		300
Touchdowns Kickoff Returns	1952		2
Touchdowns Punt Returns	1952		2
Touchdowns Intercepted Pass Returns	1952		2
Most Field Goals	1936		9
Most Games Won	1947		8
Most Rushing Attempts	1950		477
Best All Time Attendance (12 Games)	1947		406,181

TEAM - GAME

Bulldogs, 10/23/49 Browns, 11/16/52
Browns, 11/16/52
Browns, 11/16/52;
L. A. Rams, 12/14/52
Rams, 12/14/53
Giants, 11/30/52
n Yanks, 10/3/50
Giants, 11/30/52
ants 7, Pgh. 63, 11/30/52
y Packers, 11/23/41
Bay Packers, 11/20/49
Browns, 10/29/50
Browns, 10/4/52
Browns, 10/29/50
lyn, 10/2/43
Giants, 9/17/50
Giants, 11/30/52
Giants, 11/30/52
Rams, 12/14/52
lelphia Eagles, 10/12/52
Year.

STEELER ALL-TIME TEAM STATISTICS

	1933	1936	1937	1938	1939	1940	1941	1942	1943	1944	1945	1946	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951	1952
Games	12		11	11	=	11	11	11	10		10	11	12	12	12	12	12	12
First Downs	64		105	103	113	97	75	130	1384	109	96	102	176		189	177	172	177
Yards Rushing	208	1100	1419	1414	1137	1102	1213	1821	1730*		196	1307	1948		22094	1659	1428	1370
Yards Passing	+966		918	916	1084	875		686	1138		652	970	1410		1310			2191
Total Yards	1557		2388	2358	2236	1977	1871	2606	2878	2822	1719	2313	3356	3468	3539	3388	3270	3561‡
Forward Passes	214	198	164			189		161			165	191	209		209			365‡
Passes Completed	674		57	72	10	28		51			19	28	86		18			167#
Passes Intercepted by	21	25				90		21			13	11	19		18			27
Punting Average	11		4			39		36			39	39	41.1		40.9			43.0\$
Yds. Punt Returns	384	415				441		440			334	495	593\$		449			557*
Yds. Kickoff Returns	-	1	1	-	1	843*		669			651	493	975		192			11284*
Yards Interc. Passes.	1	1	-	1	1	62		420			212	295	402		310			409
Yards Penalized	201		358			11		383			436	534	527		160			520
Fumbles	30		31					22			26	60	28		31			2.7
Opp. Fumbles Rec.	38		23*					-			14	17	14		6			13
TD Runs	9		7					21			10	15	21.		21.			12
TD Passes	9	-	61	5	*	4		2			•	*	10		10			214
Points after TD.	10	6	12					20			7	16	30		30			354
Field Goals		+6	+	-	69	9	64	•			•	61	9		6			*
Opp. Yards Gained	3204	3932	2232	2626	3100	2742	2724	2383	0,0		3043	2719	3488	75.0	3911			4289
Opp. Passes	209	163	185	185	193	192	189	211	221	204	181	162	244	279	3374		266	369
Opp. Pass Compi'd	89	52	09	74	88	83	84	100	102	86	103	9	86	149	161	146	136	167
Opp. First Downs	1	-	-	1	-	1	116	114	*96	109	116	132	170	188	210		188	224
Opp. Points	209	187	145	169	216	178	276	1115	230	328	220	111	259	243	214		235	273
Steeler Points	100	98	122	42	114	60	103	167	225	108	13	136	240	200	224		183	300

^{*} Designates Eastern Division leader.

[#] Steeler All-Time Team Records.

Annual Top Player Performances

GROUND GAINER

Player

Attempts Yds. Gained Average

1 car	Liayet	-	ceempts	Lus. Gameu	Average
1934	Warren Heller (Pitt)		132	528	4.0
1935	Art Strutt (Duquesne)	402	92	323	3.5
1936	Warren Heller (Pitt)		106	322	3.0
1937	John Karcis (Carnegie Tech)		128	511	4.0
1938	Byron (Whizzer) White (Colo.)		152	567*	3.7
1939	Boyd Brumbaugh (Duquesne)		111	343	3.1
1940	Lou Tomasetti (Bucknell)		68	246	3.6
1941	Dick Riffle (Albright)	-	109	388	3.6
1942	Bill Dudley (Virginia)		162*	696*	4.2
1943	Jack Hinkle (Syracuse)		116	571	4.9
1944	John Grigas (Holy Cross)		185	610	3.2
1945	Buist Warren (Tennessee)		96	285	3.0
1946			146*	604*	4.1
1947	Johnny Clement (SMU)		129	670	5.2**
1948	Bob Cifers (Tennessee)		112	361	3.2
1949	Jerry Nuzum (New Mex. A&M)		139	611	4.4
1950	Joe Geri (Georgia)		*188**	705**	3.8
1951	Frank Rogel (Penn State)		109	385	3.5
1952	Ray Mathews (Clemson)		66	315	4.7
	SCORIN	1G			
Year		TD.	PAT	. FG.	TPS.
1935	Armand Niccolai (Duquesne)		10	6*	28
1936	Armand Niccolai (Duquesne)		7	7*	27
1937	Johnny Blood (Notre Dame)	5			30
1938	Byron White (Colorado)	4	100	-	24
	Wilbur Sortet (W. Va. U.)	4		-	24
1939	Armand Niccolai (Duquesne)	4-	15	3	24
1940	Armand Niccolai (Duquesne)	-	6	6	24
1941	Art Jones (Richmond)	5		0.00	30
1942	Bill Dudley (Virginia)	6		177	36
1943	Ernie Steele (Washington)	6	100		36
	Bob Thurbon (Pitt)	6		-	36
1944	Bob Thurbon (Pitt)	5		ALC:	30
1945	+Bill Dudley (Virginia)	3	2	44	20
1946	Bill Dudley (Virginia)	5	12	2	48
1947	Steve Lach (Duke)	9**			54
1948	Joe Glamp (LSU)	3	26	4	56
	Jerry Shipkey (UCLA)	8	J.	140	48
1949	Joe Geri (Georgia)	5	12	1	45
1950	Joe Geri (Georgia)		22	8	64
1951	Joe Geri (Georgia)	4	22	7	67**
1952	Elbie Nickel (Cincinnati)	9		144	54

[†] Dudley played only three games, 1945. * Led League that Year, ** All-Time Steeler Record.

PASSER

Year	Player	Attempts	Completions	Yards
1934	Warren Heller (Pitt)	_ 112	31	511
1935	John Gildea (St. Bonayenture)		28	529
1936	Ed Matesic (Pitt)		64	850
1937	Max Fiske (DePaul)	43	17	318
1938	Frank Filchock (Indiana)	101	41	469
1939	Hugh McCullough (Oklahoma)	100	32	443
1940	Billy Patterson (SMU)	117	34	529
1941	Boyd Brumbaugh (Duquesne)		13	260
1942	Bill Dudley (Virginia)		35	438
1943	Roy Zimmerman (San Jose St.)		43	846
1944	Johnny Grigas (Holy Cross)		50	690
1945	Buist Warren (Tennessee)		36	368
1946	Bill Dudley (Virginia)	90	32	452
1947	Johnny Clement (SMU)	123	52	1004
1948	Ray Evans (Kansas)	137	64	924
1949	Joe Geri (Georgia)	- 77	31	554
1950	Joe Geri (Georgia)	113	41	866
1951	Chuck Ortmann (Michigan)		56	671
1952	Jim Finks (Tulsa)		158**	2307**

PASS RECEIVER

Year	Player	No.	Yds. Gained	Longest	TD's
1934	Ben Smith (Alabama)	12	190		0
1935	Jim Levey (Quantico Marines)	11	112		2
1936	Wilbur Sortet (W. Va. U.)	14	197		1
1937	Johnny Blood (Notre Dame)	10	168		4
1938	Bill Davidson (Temple)	12	229		0
1939	Sam Boyd (Baylor)	21	423		2
1940	George Platukis (Duquesne)	15	290		2
1941	Don Looney (TCU)	10	186	66	1
1942	Walt Kichefski (Miami)	15	189	26	0
1943	Tony Bova (Duquesne)	17	419	51	5
1944	Ed Rucinski (Duquesne)	22	284	40	1
1945	Tony Boya (Duquesne)	15	220	52	0
1946	Val Jansante (Duquesne)	10	136	34	1
	Charley Mehelich (Duquesne) -	10	116	35	0
1947	Val Jansante (Duquesne)	35	599	46	5
1948	Val Jansante (Duquesne)	39	623	48	3
1949	Val Jansante (Duquesne)	29	445	47	4
	Elbie Nickel (Cincinnati)	26	633	52	3
1950	Val Jansante (Duquesne)	26	353	40	0
	Fran Rogel (Penn State)	24	304	64	1
	Elbie Nickel (Cincinnati)	22	527	65	4
1951	Hank Minarik (Mich. State)	35	459	37	1
1952	Elbie Nickel (Cincinnati)	55**	884**	54	9

^{..} All-Time Steeler Record.

THE LONGEST

	RUN FROM SCRIMMAG	E		FIELD GOAL
Year	Player	Yards	Year	Player Yards
1941	Dick Riffle	54	1941	Armand Niccolai 22
1942	George Gonda	68	1942	Armand Niccolai 30
1943	Johnny Butler		1943	Leroy Zimmerman 23
1944	George Magulick		1944	Leroy Zimmerman§ 49**
1945	Buist Warren		1945	Ben Agajanian 31
1946	Bill Dudley		1946	Bill Dudley 34
1947	Paul White		1947	Joe Glamp 37
1948	Joe Glamp		1948	Joe Glamp 40
1949	Bobby Gage§	97**	1949	Joe Geri 34
1950	Joe Geri		1950	Joe Geri 40
1951	Frank Rogel		1951	Joe Geri 40
1301	vs. Eagles, 11/25		1000	vs. Eagles, 11/4
1952	Ray Mathews	36	1952	Gary Kerkorian 36
1904	vs. Cards, 10/26		1.3.74	vs. Washington, 10/19
11	NTERCEPTED PASS RETU	RN+		PASS PLAY
1941	Dick Riffle	_ 29	1941	Boyd Brumbaugh*+ 72
1942	Dick Riffle		1942	Andy Tomasic*+ 41
1943	Jack Hinkle	918	1943	Roy Zimmerman*+ 60
1944	Bill Robnett	48	1944	Johnny Grigas*+ 72
1945	Ted Doyle		1945	Al Postus*+ 52
1946	Bill Dudley		1946	M. Condit to Dudley
1947	Tony Compagno	64	7.0	vs. Boston 80**
1948	Tony Compagno	82	1947	J. Clement to B. Garnaas
1949	Frank Sinkovitz		0000	vs. N. Y. Giants 68
1950	Howard Hartley		1948	Ray Evans to Val Jansante
1951	Chuck Ortmann		37.00	vs. N. Y. Giants 66
	vs. S. F. 49ers		1949	Joe Geri to Jerry Nuzum
1952	Jack Butler	-41	2000	vs. Packers 63
3 00.40	vs. N. Y., 11/30	2. 22.	1950	Joe Geri to Jerry Nuzum
	13. 13. 13. 11/30		*****	vs. Chicago Cards 68
	PUNTS		1951	Joe Geri to Elbie Nickel
1941	Coley McDonough	- 65	1102	vs. S. F. 49ers 77
1942	Curt Sandig		1952	Ray Mathews to Geo.
1943	Leroy Zimmerman		1004	Sulima 69
1944	Johnny Grigas			vs. Cleveland, 11/16
1945	Sid Tinsley			vs. caerciana, 11710
1946	Bill Dudley	69		
1947	Bob Cifers	74	4 M:	artin Kottler, Steeler back,
1948	Bob Cifers			redited with 99-yard pass inter-
	Joe Geri§			eption return against Cardi-
1949	Bobby Gage	74		als in 1933.
1950				eeler all-time record. * Passer.
1951	Joe Geri	0./00	810	ague record that year.
1000	vs. Chicago Cards, 1		+ Io	hnny Blood, 1937, had 92-yard
1952				turn of kickoff against Eagles.
	vs. Rams, 12/14		re	turn of kickort against Lagies.

	KICKOFF RETURN!			PUNT RETURN	
Year	Player	Yards	Year	Player	Yards
1941	Dick Riffle	41	1941	Art Jones	61
1942	Bill Dudley	84	1942	Curt Sandig	64
1943	Bob Thurbon	35	1943	Ernie Steele	19
1944	Bob Thurbon		1944	George Magulick	
1945	Alex Popovich	39	1945	Tony Bova	
1946	Bill Dudley	34	1946	Bill Dudley	
1947	Walt Slater	39	1947	Walt Slater	33
1948	Bob Cifers	55	1948	Ray Evans	22
1949	Frank Minini	44	1949	Bobby Gage	50
1950	Bobby Gage	61	1950	Bobby Gage	33
1951	Joe Geri vs. N. Y. Giants, 10/1	86	1951	vs. Wash., 11/18	
1952	Lynn Chandnoisvs. Philadelphia, 10/12	93**	1952	Ray Mathews (2)	70**

NFL STADIUM SEATING CAPACITY

Chicago Bears-Wrigley Field	49,200
Chicago Cardinals-Comiskey Park	46,817
Cleveland Browns-Municipal Stadium	78,207
Baltimore Memorial	45,000
Detroit Lions-Briggs Stadium	53,433
Green Bay Packers-City Stadium	25,000
Los Angeles Rams-Coliseum	101,296
New York Giants-Polo Grounds	48,795
Philadelphia Eagles-Shibe Park	38,290
PITTSBURGH STEELERS-Forbes Field.	34,528
San Francisco 49ers-Kezar Stadium	60,000
Washington Redskins-Griffith Stadium	37,692

NFL Most Valuable Player Awards

1938	Mel Hein, Center, New York Giants:
1939	Parker Hall, Back, Cleveland Rams.
1940	Ace Parker, Back, Brooklyn Dodgers.
1941	Don Hutson, End, Green Bay Packers.
1942	Don Hutson, End, Green Bay Packers.
1943	Sid Luckman, Back, Chicago Bears.
1944	Frank Sinkwich, Back, Detroit Lions.
1945	Bob Waterfield, Back, Cleveland Rams.
1946	Bill Dudley, Back, Pittsburgh Steelers.
NOTE	: Selections discontinued in 1947.

STEELER ALL-TIME SCORES WITH LEAGUE OPPONENTS

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Giants	2-23	13-27	17	7-12	0-13	10- 7	2-10	0-17	14-27*	13-10		10-10	0-12	10-37	13-10"	17- 9	28-14"	14-12		6-34	14-17	1	38-21	27-34	38-28	21-17	17-6	13-13*	63 - 73	
L.A. Rams						-				-		-				-					-	-	178	14-31	7-7	-	-		14-28	-
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Year	1933	1934		1935		1936	1937		1938		1939	1940		1941	1942		19438	1944		1945	1946		1947	1948	1949	0.00	1958	1921	1952	

SYMBOLS:	3: * Game at Forbes Field.	§ Steelers-Eagles merged.	+* Steelers-Cards merged.
	* Came at Philadelphia.	# Game at Chicago.	8 Division playoff game also 0-21.
	a-Cincinnati at home.	b-St. Louis away.	c-Two games unreported.

FOOTNOTES:

1933 - Two Games, one win, one tie, not listed-Scores not available.

1937 - Boston Club under title of Redskins transferred to Washington for 1937.

1943 - Steelers combined with Philadelphia Eagles.

Dishanded Brooklyn franchise transferred to Boston for 1944 as Boston Yanks. Steelers combined with Chicago Cardinals for 1944. - 1961

Cleveland Rams franchise transferred to Los Angeles. 1946

Boston franchise transferred to New York as Yanks. 1949 -

National League and All-America Conference combined, Baltimore, New York, Cleveland and San Francisco Clubs of AAC admitted to NFL. Baltimore dropped following 1950 season. 1950 -

New York Yanks franchise transferred to Dallas, as Dallas Texans. 1952 -

1953 - Dallas franchise dropped. Baltimore given new franchise for 1953.

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1952 STEELER STATISTICAL RESUME

Score by Periods

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STEELERS	51	83	76	90 30	01
All Opponents	64	47	63	99 27	3
Touchdowns: Nickel§ (9); Mathews lewski, Rogel (3 each); Hays, Bi Ferry, Dodrill (1 each).					
Points After Touchdowns: Gary Ker	korian	(35)§.			
Field Goals: Gary Kerkorian, (4) by ington, 10/19.	Placem	ent; Lo	ngest, 36 yai	ds, vs. Was	h-
STAT	CISTIC	S	Pittsburgh	Opponen	ts
TOTAL FIRST DOWNS			187	224	
First Downs Rushing				100	
First Downs Passing				115	
First Downs by Penalty			10	9	
TOTAL YARDS GAINED (Net)			3395	4289	
Yards Gained Rushing (Net)				1744	
Yards Gained Passing			2191	2545	
FORWARD PASSES ATTEMPTED.			365‡	369	

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Passes Intercepted by	27	23
Yards Interceptions Returned by	409	426
Yards Lost Attempted Passes	313	220
PUNTS (Number)	81	72
Average Distance	43.0+	43.0
Punts Returned by	47	50
Yards Punts Returned by	557*	483
KICK-OFFS RETURNED BY (Number)	39	56
Yard Kick-Offs Returned by	1128*	1024
PENALTIES (Number)	57	71
Yards penalized	520	623
FUMBLES	27	26
Opponents' Fumbles Recovered	13	14
TOTAL TOUCHDOWNS	42t	35
Touchdowns Running	21	11
Touchdowns Passing	21	24
POINTS AFTER TOUCHDOWNS	36‡	35
FIELD GOALS	4	8

Passes Completed _____

[•] Led NFL. ‡ New Steeler All-Time Team Record. § All-Time Steeler Individual Record.

1952 Game by Game Offense & Defense

RUSHING

	_	-OFFE	NSE-	_	-	—-D	EFENS	E	_
Opponent	Atts.	Net	Long.	TD's	Score	Atts.	Net	Long.	TD's
*Philadelphia	36	130	20	3	25-31	40	119	11	1
*Cleveland	31	75	12	1	20-21	27	58	13	0
Philadelphia	27	38	9	1	21-26	38	113	16	1
 Washington 	42	188**	28	1	24-28	44	137	17	2
Chicago Cards	36	114	36**	2	34-28	47	209	25	1
Washington	31	134	16	3	24-23	38	159	32	1
*Detroit	19	-3	5	1	6-31	59	321	32	3
Cleveland	16	50	25	0	28-29	43	201	21	1
*Chicago Cards	38	104	19	2	17-14	47	184	27	0
New York	35	123	20	4	63- 7	20+	15+	8+	0
S. F. 49ers	47**	142	22	2	24- 7	24	70	37	0
Los Angeles	26	109	22	1	14-28	33	158	26	1
TOTALS	384	1204	36	21	300-273	460	1744	37	11

PASSING

	_	NSE	DEFF	-	-	-		SE-	FFEN		-	
Int.	TDP	Long.	Net	Comp.	Atts.	Int.	TDP	Long.	Net	Comp.	Atts.	Opponent
0	3	84	301	16	27	2	1	41	235	13	24	•Philadelphia
4	3	68	401	21	49	0	2	50	210	12	34	*Cleveland
1	(1)	45	200	11	34	3	2	54	155	9	25	Philadelphia
2	2	51	147	8	16	1	2	36	137	10	26	•Washington
0	3	47	225	9	24	1	3	37	199	15	26	Chi. Cards
2	2	58	264	15	24	1	0	37	94	7	18	Washington
0	. 1	46	71+	4	17	2	0	35	209	19	35	*Detroit
2	2	37	239	21	41	2	4	69 **	380+*	21	48+	Cleveland
0	2	38	137	9	21	3	0	32	143	12	23	*Chi. Cards
7+*	1	70	177	11	39	3	5+0	60	315	15	31	*New York
5	1	53	245	18	34	0	1	48	145	11	27	S. F. 49ers
4	3	65	358	24	43	5	1	45	282	23+*	48+	Los Angeles
27	24	84	2765	167	369	23	21‡	69	2504‡	167‡	365‡	TOTALS
	157	53 65	245 358	18 24	34 43	0 5	1	48 45	145 282	11 23†*	27 48†*	S. F. 49ers Los Angeles

Home Game
 Best 1952 Offense. + Best 1952 Defense.

^{†*} All-Time Steeler Record for Single Game. † All-Time Steeler Season Record.

1952 STEELER INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

BALL CARRYING

		Longest		
Attempts	Net Gain	Run	Average	TD's
66	315	36	4.8	
97	298	25	3.1	1
84	230	14	2.7	3
82	195	14	2.4	3
22	94	42	4.3	
23	37	20	1.6	5
. 2	20	20	10.0	200
7	14	11	2.0	
. 1	1	1	1.0	
384	1204	36	3.1	12
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PASSING

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Player Finks	Attempts 336*	Comp.	Net Gain 2307*	Longest 60	Inter- ceptions 19	TD's
Mathews	13	3	104	69**	1	
Kerkorian	- 11	5	79	27	3	1
Brady	3	1	14	14	-	
Chandnois	2	14	10.0	+	10	
TOTALS	365t	1671	2504;	69	23	211

PASS RECEIVING

Player	No. Caught	Net Gain	Longest	TD's
Nickel	55*	884*	54	9**
Mathews	33	543	50	5
Chandnois	28	370	48	2
Sulima	9	176	69**	1
Rogel	12	140	26	-
Hensley	12	217	60	2
Modzelewski	rt	109	23	
Butler	3	37	20	2
Spinks	2	22	23	-
Calvin	2	4	6	-
Hughes	Lateral	2	2	-
TOTALS	167‡	2504‡	69	21‡

PUNTING

Player	Number	Yards	Longest	Average
Brady	77	3328*	69	43.2
Finks	4	156	50	42.6
TOTALS	81	3486	69	43.0

PUNT RETURNS

Player	Number	Yards Returned	Longest Return	TD's
Mathews	_ 26	397	70*	2.
Chandnois	_ 17	111	19	
Calvin	_ 2	12	6	
Hays	_ 1	3	3	1
Hartley	1	34	34	5.5
TOTALS	47	557*+	70	31

PASS INTERCEPTIONS

Player	Number	Yards Returned	Longest	TD's
Butler	7	168	41	
Kissell	_ 5	71	37	-
Hartley	- 4	51	24	
Hogan	4	50	21	1
Hipps	_ 3	48	23	
Shipkey	_ 2	15	9	
Hays	1	1	1	t
Sinkovitz	1	5	5	-2
TOTALS	27	409	41	2

KICKOFF RETURNS

Player	Number	Yards Returned	Longest Return	TD's
Chandnois	_ 17	599*	93•	2.
Mathews	_ 14	367	45	
Calvin	_ 5	120	34	
Brandt	_ 1	24	24	44
Murray	_ 1	14	14	
Ladygo	_ 1	4	4	
TOTALS	_ 39	1128+	93‡	2‡

New Steeler All-Time Team Record. ** Top 1952 Effort.

New Steeler All-Time Individual Record. *+ Led NFL.

SCORING

Player	TD's Running	TD's Passing	Total TD's	PAT.	FG.	Total Points
Nickel	-	9	900			54
Mathews	2	5	7	1	5-	43
Kerkorian		-		35**	4(11)	47
Finks	. 5	QL.	5		_	30
Chandnois	3	2	5			30
Modzelewski	3		3	200	52	18
Rogel	3	-	3	94	-	18
Butler		2	2		122	12
Hays	21*		2			12
Hensley	200	2	2		-	12
Sulima		1	1			6
Dodrill	111	4.5	1			6
Ferry	1*+		1		-	6
Hogan	1++*		1			6
TOTALS	21†	21	42‡	36‡	4+++	300‡

! New Steeler All-Time Team Record.

†* Hays with caught, blocked intercepted pass vs. Washington and another with blocked punt return vs. N. Y. Giants.

++ Dodrill with run of blocked field goal attempt.

*+ Ferry-run with recovered fumble vs. Chicago Cards.

** Tied Steeler All-Time Individual Season Record.

+++ Longest 1952 field goal, 36 yards vs. Washington, 10/19/52.

++* With intercepted pass vs. Rams, 12/14/52.

THE NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE

The 12-team National Football League is made up of two six-team conferences, which are called the American and National Conference. The champions of each conference meet at the end of each season to decide the world's championship professional football title. This two-"league" set-up has been in effect since 1933 since the Pittsburgh Steelers were granted a franchise in the NFL.

The "Steelers" are in the American Conference. The conference line-ups, with the teams listed in the order of their finish last season are:

American

Cleveland Browns
New York Giants
Washington Redskins
PITTSBURGH STEELERS
Philadelphia Eagles
Chicago Cardinals

National

Los Angeles Rams Detroit Lions San Francisco 49ers Chicago Bears Green Bay Packers Baltimore Colts

PRESS, RADIO AND TV COVERAGE

Probably no fans in the National Football League get greater and more up-to-the-minute coverage than Pittsburghers. Two of the writers—

JACK SELL of the Post-Gazette and TOM BIRKS of the Sun-Telegraph—
are on familiar ground whether drawing out the facts from an owner, a coach or a player.

Both have been covering the Steelers for 21 years—since 1933 when ART ROONEY obtained a franchise in the footballs' young major league. Indirectly, both have had a great bearing in helping the league grow into one of football's most enterprising organizations.

In addition, both have the experience and background in reporting and football to give you the most accurate accounts of the National League games played throughout the country.

PAT LIVINGSTON, the Pittsburgh Press reporter, has an unique background for covering professional football. He spent a number of years as public relations director of the Steelers before joining the Press' sports staff.

Thus he understands the football business from both sides of the fence.

And, like Tom and Jack, he is on intimate terms with all the owners,

players and coaches in the league.

Behind these gentlemen are such sports authorities as AL ABRAMS, the Post-Gazette sports editor, who makes it his business to travel about the nation getting the facts on all the top sports events . . . HARRY KECK, sports editor of the Sun-Telegraph, who has been keeping the Pittsburgh fans accurately informed for more seasons than he likes to recall . . . and CHET SMITH, sports editor of the Press, who ranks as one of the nation's top football experts.

Others keeping tab on the Steelers are AL TEDERSTROM, the executive sports editor of the Press; GIL REMLEY, the head man on the desk at the Post-Gazette and PHIL GRABOWSKI, the Tele's top desk man.

JOE TUCKER, Station WWSW's sports director, handles the play-byplay of the Steelers' games on radio when the team is at Forbes Field and switches to television when the team is on the road. And when Tucker is on TV, BOB PRINCE, who normally handles the radio color, becomes the radio play-by-play announcer.

Like the newsmen, both Tucker and Prince have a wealth of experience in sports. Both men spend time in the Steelers' training camp—on the practice field and in the classroom with the players—learning the fundamentals of the Steelers' system. This enables both to speak authoritatively when

giving the weekly game accounts.

Other radio sports figures who cover the Steelers are BILL SUTHER-LAND, who handles the color on numerous occasions. JOHNNY BOYER, a former pro player, who works behind Station KDKA's mikes, and PIE TRAYNOR, Station KQV's man on sports and one of baseball's all-time greats. On Television you hear sports figures like RAY SCOTT, KEN HILDERBRAND and NICK PERRY.

You often hear people say "Pittsburgh is the greatest sports town in America." It is, And these sports writers, radiocasters and TV-men play a vital part in making the world's most progressive city so sports conscious.

1953 - Pittsburgh Steelers Training Camp Roster - 1953

Name Alderton, John						
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Alderton, John			ENDS			
Beat at 1	10.9	200	9/ 5/31	-	Maryland	Cumberland, Md.
Butler, Jack	00'9	195	11/12/27	90	St. Bonaventure	Pittsburgh, Pa.
Hays, George	6.02	210	8/29/25	*	St. Bonaventure	Glassport, Pa.
Hensley, Dick	6.04	210	9/ 8/27	er,	Kentucky	Huntington, W. Va.
McPeak, Bill	10.9	200	7/24/26	ACT	Pitt	New Castle, Pa.
Nickel, Elbie	10'9	195	12/28/22	2	Cincinnati	Chillicothe, O.
Smith, Flavious	6.02	210	8/19/29	01	Tenn. Tech.	Cookeville, Tenn.
Sulima, George	6.02	200	2/27/28	5	Boston U.	New Britain, Conn.
			TACKLES	75		
Bolkovac, Nick	10'9	230	3/20/28	-	Pitt	Youngstown, O.
Ferry, Lou	6.02	245	12/ 1/27	4	Villanova	Chester, Pa.
Gaona, Robert	6.03	235	1/ 3/31	-	Wake Forest	Ambridge, Pa.
Hegarty, Bill	6.04	240	10/13/27	-	Villanova	Medford, Mass.
Matuszak, Marvin	6.03	225	9/12/31	1	Tulsa	South Bend, Ind.
Murray, Earl	6.02	240	-	*	Purdue	Rutherford, N. J.
Stautner, Ernie	10.9	235	4/20/25	4	Boston College	Saranac Lake, N. Y.
			GUARDS	10		
Dodrill, Dale	10.9	210	2/27/26	60	Colorado A. & M.	Englewood, Colo.
Hogan, Darrell	5.10	210	7/ 2/26	25	Trinity	San Antonio, Tex.
Hughes, George	10'9	225	8/19/25	+	William & Mary	Norfolk, Va.
Ladygo, Pete	6.02	215	6/23/28	2	Maryland	Pittsburgh, Pa.
McFadden, Marvin	00'9	215	1/18/30	7	Michigan State	Lansing, Mich.
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evanti, Lou	6.01	215	4/ 4/25	61	-	
Radosevich, George	6.02	225	1/25/28	-	1	
Farasovic, George	6.04	240	5/ 6/30	2	1	
Fepe, Louis	6.02	200	6/18/30	-	Duke Ridgefield, N. J.	
Walsh, Bill	6.02	235	8/8/27	20	1	

Levanti, Lou	6.01	215	4/ 4/25	61	-
Radosevich, George	6.02	225	1/25/28	-	Pitt Pittsburgh, Pa.
Tarasovic, George	6.04	240	5/ 6/30	2	-
Tepe, Louis	6.02	200	6/18/30	-	
Walsh, Bill	6.02	235	8/8/27	20	Notre Dame
		9	QUARTERBACKS	KS	
Brady, Pat	10.9	195	-	64	Nevada-BradleyReno, Nev.
Finks, Jim	00.9	175	8/31/27	10	Tulsa Pittsburgh, Pa.
Marchibroda, Teddy	5.10	170	3/15/31	÷	St. Bonaventure-Detroit Franklin, Pa.
Schneidenbach, Bob	00.9	180	8/ 6/28	-	U. Miami

			HALFBACKS			
Brandt, Jim	10.9	200	5/19/29	67	St. Thomas	Olivia,
Calvin, Tom	00'9	200	6/13/26	67	Alabama	Athens,
Chandnois, Lynn	6.02	195	2/24/25	4	Michigan St.	Flint, N
DeCarlo, Art	6.03	195	3/23/31	-	Georgia	Youngs
DePasqua, Carl	5.10	185	10/28/28	-	Pitt	Willian
Flood Days	2.10	185	10/98/01	-	Notre Dame	Pirrehm

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Brandt, Jim	10.9	200	5/19/29	2	St. Thomas	Olivia, Minn.
Calvin, Tom	00'9	200	6/13/26	67	Alabama	Athens, Ala.
Chandnois, Lynn	6.02	195	2/24/25	4	Michigan St.	Flint, Mich.
DeCarlo, Art	6.03	195	3/23/31	-	Georgia	Youngstown, O.
DePasqua, Carl	5.10	185	10/28/28	-	Pitt	Williamsport, Pa.
Flood, Dave	5.10	185	10/23/27	-	Notre Dame	Pittsburgh, Pa.
Fullerton, Edward	5.11	190	4/ 7/31	F	Maryland	Pittsburgh, Pa.
Hipps, Claude	10.9	188	4/23/27	64	Georgia	Waycross, Ga.
Jones, Walter	00.9	200	3/11/29	-	Northwestern	Sharon, Pa.
Mamajek, John	5.09	195	12/27/30	-	The Citadel	Pittsburgh, Pa.
Mathews, Ray	6.00	185	2/26/29	95	Clemson	McKeesport, Pa.
Robinson. Jimmy Joe.	5.11	190	11/14/27	-	Pin	Connellsville, Pa.
Zachary, Jack	10'9	190	1/26/32	-	Miami U. (0.)	Cleveland, O.

Sharpsburg, Pa. N. Braddock, Pa. Toomsuba, Miss. Louisville, Ky.

Duquesne-Villanova

FULLBACKS

Alcorn A. & M. Penn State Louisville

12/12/27 8/15/30 2/ 5/31 10/21/29

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Williams, Jim Spinks, Jack Rogel, Fran Elter, Leo

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STEELER COACHES AND RECORDS

Year	Coach	Won	Lost	Tied	Pts.	O.P.	Pct.
1933*	Jap Douds (Wash-Jeff)	. 3	6	2	50	205	.285
1934	Luby DiMeolo (Pitt)	_ 2	10	0	53	206	.166
1935	Joe Bach (Notre Dame)	4	8	0	100	209	.333
1936	Joe Bach	- 6	6	0	98	187	.500
1937	Johnny Blood (Notre Dame)	4	7	0	122	145	.364
1938	Johnny Blood	_ 2	9	0	79	169	.182
1939	+Johnny Blood and Walter Kiesling (St. Thomas)	ı	9	I	114	216	.100
1940	Walter Kiesling	2	7	2	60	178	222
1941 •	†Bert Bell (Penn), †*Aldo Donelli (Duquesne) and Walter Kiesling (St. Thomas).	i	9	ď	103	276	100
1942	Walter Kiesling	7	4	0	167	119	.636
1943a	Walter Kiesling and Earle (Greasy) Neale	. 5	4	1	255	230	.555
1944b	Walter Kiesling and Phil Handler (TCU)	0	10	0	108	328	.000
1945	Jim Leonard (Notre Dame)	2	8	0	79	220	.200
1946	Jock Sutherland (Pitt)	5	5	1	136	117	.500
1947	Jock Sutherland	8	14	0	240	259	.667
1948	John Michelosen (Pitt)	4	8	0	200	243	.333
1949	John Michelosen	6	5	1	224	214	.541
1950	John Michelosen	6	6	0	180	195	.500
1951 •	•John Michelosen	4	7	1	183	235	.364
1952	Joe Bach (Notre Dame)	- 5	7	0	300c	273	.417
1953	Joe Bach.						

^{*} Scores of two games not reported in totals. + Resigned in mid-season.

^{*+} Resigned after second game. ** Resigned following season.

^{†*} Resigned by order from league commissioner because of dual affiliations with collegiate team (Duquesne) and Steelers.

a Pittsburgh and Philadelphia combine.

b Pittsburgh and Chicago Cardinals combine.

c All-Time Steeler Record

1953 STEELER THUMBNAILS

ALDERTON, JOHN REBER . . . 6 feet 1, weighs 200 . . . end . . . a standout defensive star with some great Maryland elevens . . . was co-captain of the Terps . . . played in Sugar Bowl . . . also one of six Steelers in the All Star game . . . lives in Cumberland, Maryland.

BOLKOVAC, NICHOLAS FRANK . . . "Nick" . . . 6 feet 1, weighs 230 . . . tackle . . . has unusual pro career . . . was drafted by Washington Redskins . . . traded to Los Angeles Rams and then to Steelers . . . but has yet to play a pro game . . . spent the past two seasons with Uncle Sam . . . was an all Army tackle for Fort Jackson . . . captained the Pitt team . . . holds University record for conversions . . . lives in Youngstown, O.

BRADY, PATRICK ... "Pat" ... 6 feet 1, weighs 195 ... a left-handed quarterback who specializes in kicking ... was the third best punter in the National League last season ... originally drafted by the New York Giants and later traded to the Steelers ... attended both Bradley and Nevada ... lives in Reno, Nev.

BRANDT, JAMES RICHARD . . . "Popcorn" . . . 6 feet, weighs 200 . . . halfback . . . starting his second season with Pittsburgh and the pros . . . saw most of his first year service with the defensive platoon . . . won the heavy-weight Golden Gloves Championship in Minnesota . . . once acted as sparring partner for former light-heavyweight champion Joey Maxim . . . lives in Olivia. Minn.

BUTLER, JOHN B. . . . "Jack" . . . 6 feet 1, weighs 195 . . . end . . . also one of the top defensive backs in the league . . . starting his third season with the Steelers . . . former St. Bonaventure star . . . his father was a star athlete in Pittsburgh and played on the same team as the Steeler president, Art Rooney . . . works as an electrician's helper in off-season . . . native Pittsburgher.

CALVIN, THOMAS MARVIN . . . "Tom" . . . 6 feet, weighs 200 . . . halfback . . . a sophomore who is expected to develop into a great star . . . probably the fastest starter in Steeler backfield . . . also a great man going downfield on kickoffs . . leading ground gainer at Alabama . . spent one season as high school coach before joining pros . . . lives in Tuscaloosa, Ala.

CHANDNOIS, LYNN . . . "Shad" . . . 6 feet 2, weighs 195 . . . halfback . . . greatest wingback in Michigan State history . . . rapidly developing into one of the fine backs in pro football . . . led the NFL in kickoff returns for the past two seasons . . returned two kickoffs for over 90 yards and TD's last fall . . great runner and outstanding pass receiver . . . played in the All Pro bowl and was voted the outstanding pro player by the Washington (D.C.) Touchdown Club . . lives in Flint, Mich.

Decarlo, Arthur. . . "Art" . . . 6 feet 3, weighs 230 . . . halfback . . . two-way performer from Georgia . . . played offensive and defensive end . . . defensive halfback and safety and backed up the line . . . came to the Steelers from the Bears in a trade for Jerry Shipkey . . . voted outstanding defensive player in the Blue-Gray game in Montgomery, Ala. . . . lives in Youngstown, Ohio.

DePASQUA, CARL TONY . . . "De" . . . 5 feet 10, weighs 190 . . . fullback . . . another Army returnee . . . best defensive back at Pitt two seasons ago . . . also a great punter . . . lives in Williamsport, Pa.

DODRILL, DALE FIKE . . . 6 feet 1, weighs 210 . . . guard . . . probably the most underrated lineman in the National League . . . suffered a fractured jaw in his first year, but came back last fall to rank with the all-time Pittsburgh linemen . . . has great speed and one of the best at diagnosing plays . . . captained Colorado A & M . . . plays the middle guard, one of the toughest posts in football . . . lives in Englewood, Colo.

ELTER, LEO . . . 5 feet 10, weighs 195 . . . halfback . . . played at Duquesne and switched to Villanova when former school gave up football . . . was a great star with the Marines . . . picked on the all service team for the past two seasons . . . one of the Marines' leading scorers . . . lives in Pittsburgh.

FERRY, LOUIS ANTHONY ... "Lou" ... 6 feet 2, weighs 245 ... tackle ... broke into pro ball with the Green Bay Packers in 1950 ... traded to the Chicago Cardinals ... then came to the Steelers in the swap for Joe Geri ... picked up a fumble and raced 70 yards for the winning touchdown against his old teammates last season ... was a four letterman at Villanova and captained the team ... lives in Chester, Pa.

FINKS, JAMES EDWARD . . . "Jim" . . . 5 feet 11, weighs 175 . . . quarterback . . . easily the biggest surprise package in NFL last year . . . played three seasons as defensive halfback and then became the T quarterback when Steelers dropped the single wing . . . developed into an immediate star . . , tied the famed Otto Graham for the most TD passes completed—20 . . . was the leading man in the Steelers' great stretch drive . . . an outstanding high school athlete . . . his hometown, Salem, Ill., once held a "Jim Finks" day. Was second in the nation in pass completions while T quarterbacking Tulsa in 1948 . . . baseball catcher and one time property of the Cincinnati Reds . . . an off-season insurance salesman . . . now resides in Pittsburgh.

FLOOD, DAVID MICHAEL . . . "Dave" . . . 5 feet 11, weighs 195 . . . half-back . . . played three seasons at linebacking for Notre Dame . . . great track star . . . also a standout baseball prospect . . . selected for College All Star game . . . lives in Pittsburgh.

FULLERTON, ED . . . 5 feet 11, weighs 190 . . . halfback . . . a defensive and offensive star at Maryland . . . played sixty minutes in Sugar Bowl, scored twice, passed for another and recovered a fumble that led to still another Maryland score . . . came to the Steelers in trade with the San Francisco 49ers . . . lives in Pittsburgh.

GAONA, ROBERT JOHN ... "Bunny" ... 6 feet 3, weighs 235 ... tackle ... a two-platoon player at Wake Forest ... operated as a center and tackle offensively and a tackle, guard and line-backer defensively ... averaged 55 minutes per game ... lives in Ambridge, Pa.

HAYS, GEORGE WILLIAM . . . "Gabby" . . . 6 feet 2, weighs 220 . . . end . . . another Bonaventure star . . . a great defensive star who was slowed down part of last season with injuries . . . one of the most willing and trying guys on the squad . . . lives in Glassport, Pa.

HEGARTY, WILLIAM MICHAEL . . . "Bill" . . . 6 feet 4, weighs 235 . . . started at University of Georgia . . . spent time with Uncle Sam and completed his college career at Villanova . . . one of three tackles sent to the Steelers in trade with Los Angeles Rams . . . toys with the idea of becoming a professional fighter . . . lives in Medford, Mass.

HENSLEY, RICHARD . . . "Dick" . . . 6 feet 3, weighs 210 . . . end . . . another player who has seen service with both the New York Giants and the Chicago Bears . . . broke into the lineup when George Sulima separated a shoulder . . . stood out in Steelers 63-7 win over the Giants . . . played at Kentucky . . . lives in Hillsboro, N. C.

HIPPS, CLAUDE . . . 6 feet 1, weighs 190 . . . halfback . . . moved into the difficult safety position when Ed Kissell joined the Army . . . helped in the Steelers' late season surge . . . three-time letterman at Georgia . . . entered Georgia but before his freshmen season ended he joined Marines . . . returned four years later to become captain and a defensive standout in southeast conference . . . lives in Waycross, Ga.

HOGAN, DARRELL . . . 5 feet 10, weighs 210 . . . guard . . . a five-year man in the pro ranks . . . one of the toughest corner-men in the league . . . played at both Baylor and Trinity U . . . captained the varsity for two seasons . . . named on little All-American . . . mentioned on some all pro elevens . . . lives in San Antonio, Texas.

HUGHES, GEORGE SAMUEL . . . "Tubba" . . . 6 feet 1, weighs 230 . . . guard . . . one of the Pittsburgh Steelers' all-time great linemen . . . shifted to tackle when shortage occurred last fall . . . hopes to return to guard this season . . . one of William & Mary's best linemen . . . captained his college eleven . . . won four letters in track . . . lives in Norfolk, Va.

JONES, WALTER DAVID . . . "Wally" . . . 6 feet, weighs 200 . . . half-back . . . a great safety man and a standout punt return operator . . . highly-recommended by his coach, Bob Voigts of Northwestern . . . is a steel-worker in the off-season . . . lives in Sharon, Pa.

LADYGO, PETE . . . 6 feet 2, weighs 220 . . . guard . . . also can play center and line backer . . . starting his second season as a pro . . . good downfield blocker . . . now resides in Washington, D. C.

LEVANTI, LOUIS MICHAEL ... "Lou" ... 6 feet 2, weighs 215 ... center ... one of the toughest men on the squad ... third season with club ... plays center and backs up line ... played at Illinois ... lives in Champaign.

MAMAJEK, JOHN C.... 5 feet 10, weighs 195... halfback... a local high school star... was Citadel's leading scorer with 65 points... missed winning the Southern Conference scoring title by one point... kickoff and extra point man... lives in Pittsburgh.

MARCHIBRODA, THEODORE . . . "Ted" . . . 5 feet 11, weighs 175 . . . quarterback . . . was Steelers' No. 1 draft choice in 1951 . . . played at St. Bonaventure and Detroit Universities . . . responsible for setting 12 passing records at Detroit . . . set an all-time collegiate record of 390 yards gained passing in one game . . led the country in total offense in 1952 with 1,813 yards . . . Old pro Dutch Clark calls him one of the "headiest quarterbacks and a clever ball handler" . . . lives in Franklin, Pa.

MATHEWS, RAY . . . 6 feet, weighs 185 . . . halfback . . . probably the most improved player on the Steeler team last fall . . . outstanding runner, high scorer and excellent receiver . . . plays baseball in the off-season . . . a member of the All Pro eleven . . . played both tailback and wingback at Clemson . . . his first high school coach was a woman, Thelma Smith . . . who came last season to watch her protege operating in football's major league . . . lives in McKeesport, Pa.

MATUSZAK, MARV...6 feet 2, weighs 230... guard-tackle... good offensive blocker with good speed... plays linebacker on defensive... was star on Tulsa's great team last fall... will play in the college all star game... lives in South Bend, Ind.

McFADDEN, MARVIN GENE . . . "Marv" . . . 6 feet 1, weighs 220 . . . guard-tackle . . . spent last season as an assistant coach at his alma mater, Michigan State, but decided to return to football this fall . . . his former coach, Biggie Munn, classed him as a great prospect . . . lives in Lansing, Mich.

McPEAK, WILLIAM PATRICK . . . "Mac" . . . 6 feet 1, weighs 200 . . . end . . . strictly a defensive fellow but must rank with the top five . . . was All-American and two-time captain at Pitt . . . member of the All Pro eleven . . . is a detective in Lawrence County (Pa.) during the off-season . . . lives in New Castle, Pa.

MURRAY, EARL . . . 6 feet 2, weighs 240 . . . guard . . . broke into proball with the Baltimore Colts . . . when that club disbanded, he was selected by the New York Giants . . . played both offensively and defensively for Steve Owen . . . was the 440-high school champion of Indiana . . . played T formation fullback in high school . . . lives in Cincinnati.

NICKEL, ELBERT . . . "Elbie" . . . 6 feet 1, weighs 195 . . . end . . . team captain . . . seventh season with Steelers . . . team's leading pass receiver . . . third in NFL . . . Steelers' leading scorer . . . member of the All Pro eleven . . . recently honored by his alma mater, University of Cincinnati, as one of its all-time great athletes . . . great baseball prospect and signed by the Cincinnati Reds . . . is a partner in a contracting firm during the off-season . . . lives in Chillicothe, Ohio.

RADOSEVICH, GEORGE . . . 6 feet 3, weighs 235 . . . center . . . another ex-Marine who will be discharged in time for this season's pro campaign . . . plays tackle and also backs up the line . . . played at Pitt prior to going into military service . . . lives in Pittsburgh.

ROBINSON, JIMMY JOE . . . 5 feet 11, weighs 190 . . . halfback . . . great wingback at Pitt . . . drafted two seasons ago by the Cleveland Browns but called to service before he had a chance to play . . . waivered by Browns and picked up by Steelers . . . lives in Connellsville, Pa.

ROGEL, FRANCIS ... "Franny" ... 5 feet 11, weighs 200 ... fullback ... played part-time during the past two seasons while stationed in the Army ... expected to have a great season this fall ... All-American at Penn State ... led the team in ground gaining before going into service ... good blocker ... fine pass receiver ... operates a farm during the off-season ... also takes agricultural courses at Penn State ... lives in North Braddock, Pa.

SCHNEIDENBACH, ROBERT THOMAS . . . "Bob" . . . 6 feet, weighs 180 . . . halfback . . . one of the best safety men in the south . . . personally recommended by Owney McManus, Pittsburgh's famed retired restaurateur who now lives in Florida. . . also recommended by his coach, Andy Gustafson, of Miami . . . played in both the Orange and Gator Bowls . . . lives in Newark, N. J.

SCHWEDER, JOHN ANTHONY..."Bull"...6 feet 1, weighs 225... guard... plays both defensively and offensively... star at Penn... later joined the Baltimore Colts and then came to Pittsburgh... played in the East-West and College All-Star games... owns a tavern in his hometown... Bethlehem, Pa.

SMITH, FLAVIOUS JOSEPH . . . "Smitty" . . . 6 feet 2, weighs 210 . . . end . . . came to the Steelers in a trade with the Los Angeles Rams for Gary Kerkorian . . . great offensive star for Tennessee Tech and caught two touchdown passes against the defense-minded Tennessee Vols . . , great high school star . . . lives in Cookeville, Tenn.

SPINKS, JOHN ROBERT . . . "Jack the Ripper" . . . 6 feet, weighs 240 . . . fullback . . . second season . . . was a raw, inexperienced youngster from Alcorn A & M last autumn . . . could develop into one of the bright stars in the game . . . easily one of the strongest men in football and a difficult runner to bring down , . . has excellent speed . . . lives in Toomsuba, Miss.

STAUTNER, ERNEST A..., "Horse"... 6 feet 1, weighs 230 ... tackle ... rated as one of the finest linemen in Steeler history ... played in the All Pro game ... All-American from Boston College ... owns and operates an open air theatre in Lake Placid during the off-season ... born in Bavaria, Germany ... lives in Saranac Lake, N. Y.

SULIMA, GEORGE . . . 6 feet 2, weighs 195 . . . end . . . was just finding himself last season when sidelined with a separated shoulder . . . missed the latter part of the season . . . has great speed and an excellent receiver . . . great offensive end at Boston University . . . mentioned on many All-American elevens . . . lives in New Britain, Conn.

TARASOVIC, GEORGE KENNETH . . . "The Thing" . . . 6 feet 4, weighs 235 . . . center . . , switched to defensive end and developed into a toughie . . . may return to backing up the line this fall . . . picked on both the offensive and defensive All-American while at LSU . . . big, agile, fast . . . outstanding player in Blue-Grey game . . . has younger brother starring for Yale . . . lives in Bridgeport, Conn.

TEPE, LOUIS ... "Lou" ... 6 feet 2, weighs 220 ... center ... selected as Duke's most valuable player last fall ... also team captain ... won the Jacobs Trophy, symbolic of the best blocker in the Southern Conference ... great offensive man ... lives in North Bergen, N. J.

WALSH, WILLIAM HENRY . . . "Bill" . . . 6 feet 2, weighs 230 . . . center . . . fifth Steeler season . . . Notre Dame All-American . . . had his greatest season in the pro ranks last year . . Frank Leahy called him one of ND's greatest blockers . . . played three seasons of single wing before returning to the T, which he finds more to his liking . . . is an automobile salesman during the off-season . . . lives in Pittsburgh.

WILLIAMS, JAMES RICHARD . . . "Jim" . . . 5 feet 10, weighs 215 . . . fullback . . . was two-time leading ground gainer with University of Louisville . . . originally entered the University of Tennessee and later switched to the Kentucky school . . . now lives in Louisville.

ZACHARY, JOHN DONALD ... "Zack" ... 6 feet 1, weighs 190 ... halfback ... standout with Miami University in Ohio ... played both offense and defense ... probably will see most action with the defensive platoon in profootball ... lives in Cleveland.

STEELER FIRST DRAFT CHOICES

Year	Player, School	Position
1936	Bill Shakespeare, Notre Dame.	Back
1937	Mike Basrak, Duquesne	
1938	Byron "Whizzer" White, Colorado	
1939	*Sid Luckman, Columbia	Back
1940	†Kay Eakin, Arkansas	Back
1941	Art Jones, Richmond	Back
1942	Bill Dudley, Virginia	Back
1943	Bill Daley, Minnesota-Michigan	Back
1944	John Podesto, COP	Back
1945	••Paul Duhart, Baylor	
1946	Felix Blanchard, Army	
1947	Hub Bechtol, Texas	
1948	Ray Evans, Kansas	
1949	Robert Gage, Clemson	
1950	Lynn Chandnois, Michigan State	
1951	Clarence Avinger, Alabama	
1952	Ed Modzelewski, Maryland	Back
1953	Ted Marchibroda, Detroit and St. Bonaventure	Back

^{*} Traded to Bears for Ed Manske. ** To Boston via Waivers

⁺ Traded to Giants for Ox Perry.



honey. SECOND ROW—Jim Rooney, Joe Bach, George Hughes, Lou Levanti, Ernie Stautner, Jack Spinks, Jerry Shipkey, Dick Fugler, John Schweder, Earl Murray, Ray Mathews, George Sulima, Dale Dodrill, Bill McPeak, Keith Molesworth, Gus Dorais, Art Rooney, Neil Penn. BACK ROW—Walt Kiesling, Chuck Cherundolo, Lou Ferry, Pete Ladygo, George Tarasovic, Dick Hensley, STEELERS 1952 SQUAD—BOTTOM ROW—left to right: Ray Byrne, Jack Butler, Jim Finks, Howard Hartley, Darrell Hagan, Fran Rogel, Elbie Nickel, Rudy Andabaker, Herky Payne, Tom Calvin, Gary Kerkarian, Jim Brandt, Jim Boston, Jack O'Ma-Lynn Chandnois, Ed Modzelewski, Bill Walsh, Claude Hipps, George Hays, Frank Sinkovitz, Ed Kissell, Pat Brody, Jack Lee.

STEELER GAME BY GAME RECORDS

	1933		1937
3	Brooklyn	3	27 Philadelphia 14
0	Brooklyn	32	21 *Brooklyn 0
14	Chicago Cards	13	7 New York 10
0	Green Roy	47	0 Chicago Bears 7
2	New York	23	3 *Detroit 7
3	New York	27	20 *Washington 34
6	Philadelphia	25	7 Chicago Cards 18
6	Boston	21	16 Philadelphia 7
16	Boston	14	0 *New York 17
_			21 Washington 13
50	Totals	200	0 Brooklyn 23
	W-3; L-6; T-2		The state of the s
	Coach: Forest "Jap" Douds		122 Totals 145
	2 Games unreported, 1 win, 1	tie	W-4; L-7; T-0
	1934		Coach: Johnny Blood
13	Cincinnati	0	1938
.0	Boston	7	
0	†Philadelphia	17	
12	†New York	14	
9	*Philadelphia	7	
.0.	†Chicago Bears	28	21
0	*Boston	39	
7	*New York	17	7 Brooklyn
3	*Brooklyn	21	
7	*Detroit	40	0 Washington 7
0	*St. Louis	6	
0	Brooklyn	10	0 *Washington 15
-	Totals	206	7 **Cleveland 13
58	W-2; L-10; T-0.	200	79 Totals 169
			W-2; L-9; T-0
	Coach: Luby DiMeolo		Coach: Johnny Blood
	1 9 3 5		
17	*Philadelphia	7	1939
7	New York	42	7 *Brooklyn 12
7	Chicago Bears	23	0 Chicago Cards 10
0	*Green Bay	27	0 Chicago Bears 32
6	Philadelphia	17	7 New York 14
17	Chicago Cards	13	14 *Washington 44
6	Boston	0	14 Washington 21
7	Brooklyn	13	14 *Cleveland 14
16	*Brooklyn	7	13 *Brooklyn 17
14	Green Bay	34	7 *New York 23
3	*Boston	13	14 *Philadelphia 17
0	New York	13	24 Philadelphia 12
100	Totals	209	114 Totals216
	W-4; L-8; T-0.		W-1; L-9; T-1
	Coach: Joe Bach		Coach: J. Blood, Walt Kiesling
	1 9 3 6		
10	Boston	0	1 9 4 0
	†*Brooklyn	6	7 Chicago Cards 7
10	New York	7	10 New York 10
10	Chicago Bears	27	10 *Detroit 7
		0	3 Brooklyn 10
17	†Philadelphia	26	10 Washington 40
7	*Chicago Bears* *Green Bay		0 *Brooklyn 21
10		7	0 *New York 12
10	Brooklyn		3 *Green Bay 24
6	iPhiladelphia	28	10 *Washington 37
.3	•Detroit		7 Philadelphia 3
6	*Chicago Cards		0 *Philadelphia 7
0	*Boston	-	
98	Totals	187	60 Totals 178
	W-6; L-6; T-0		W-2; L-7; T-2 Coach: Walt Kiesling
	Coach: Joe Bach		Coach: Wait Klesting

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9	*Philadelphia	7	28	*Cleveland 29
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Coach: John Michelosen

* Game played on opponent's field.

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W-5: L-7: T-0

Coach: Joe Bach

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*tPlayed on neutral grounds-Buffalo, New York.

ttPlayed at Charleston, West Virginia.

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*† Played at Akron, Ohio.

†† Played at Philadelphia (Home grounds of Merged Club).

§§ Played at Chicago, Illinois (Home field of Merged Club).

Eastern Division Champion Playoff.

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NFL ONE-GAME RECORDS

Whether you are looking at a game in Forbes Field, listening to a radio description, or watching a telecast of your favorite pro team, this list will permit you to compare the feats of the day with the league's all-time single game records. HARRY NEWMAN, Giants, rushed most often, 39 times, in 1934. GENE ROBERTS, Giants, gained most yards rushing, 218, in 1950. CHARLEY CONERLY, Giants, completed most passes, 36, in '48, Most passing attempts is held by DAVEY O'BRIEN, Eagles, 60, in ('40); most had intercepted, 8, by IIM HARDY, Cards, ('50); most yards gained passing, 554, NORM VAN BROCKLIN, Rams, ('51); most touchdown passes, 7, by SID LUCKMAN, Bears, ('43). Receiving records go this way: Most passes caught in a game, 18, by TOM FEARS, Los Angeles, ('50); most touchdown passes caught, 5, by BOB SHAW, Cards, ('50); most yards gained on passes caught, 303, by JIM BENTON, Cleveland Rams, ('45). In scoring, ERNIE NEVERS, Cards, ('29), made fantastic total of 40 points, including 6 touchdowns, also a record and tied by DUB JONES, Cleveland Browns in ('51). PAT HARDER, Cards, kicked most points after touchdown, 9, in ('48), and, PADDY DRISCOLL, Cards, ('25), kicked most field goals by dropkick, 4, while BOB WATERFIELD, Los Angeles Rams, kicked most field goals by placement, 5, in ('51). The longest plays in NFL history show that, BOBBY GAGE, Pittsburgh, ('49) and ANDY URAM, Green Bay, ('39) hold title of longest, 97-yard, run from scrimmage, while FRANK SENO of Cards returned a kickoff for the longest distance, 105 yards, in ('46) and, punt return, 98 yards, by GIL LEFEBVRE, Cincinnati ('33); return of an interception, 102, by J. R. SMITH, Detroit ('49); run with fumble, 98, by GEORGE HALAS, Bears ('23); run with lateral, 93, by DICK POILLON, Washington, ('48); completed pass, 99, from FRANK FILCHOCK to ANDY FARKAS, Washington ('38); field goal, 54, by GLENN PRESNELL, Detroit ('34); Punt, 94 yards, by WILBUR HENRY, Canton Bulldogs, in ('23).

Now for the team records for a single game: Most yards gained, 735, by RAMS, ('51); yards rushing, 426, by DETROIT ('34); yards passing, 554, by RAMS ('51); first downs, 34, by RAMS ('51); fumbles, 10, by PHIL-PITT ('43); opponents fumbles recovered, 6 out of 6, by DETROIT ('40); passes completed, 36, by GIANTS ('48); passes attempted, 60, by EAGLES ('40); touchdown passes, 7, by BEARS ('43); points scored, 70, RAMS ('50); touchdowns, 10, PHILADELPHIA ('34); and, LOS ANGELES ('50); touchdowns rushing, 7, by BEARS ('41); touchdowns passing, 7, by BEARS ('43); points after touchdown, 10, by LOS ANGELES RAMS ('50); most field goals, 5, by RAMS ('51); penalties, 22, BROOKLYN ('44) and BEARS ('44); yards penalized, 209, CLEVELAND BROWNS in ('51).

1952 NFL PRO RECORDS

American Conference

FINAL STANDING OF THE TEAMS

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Green Bay	6	6	0	.500	295	312
Chi. Bears	5	7	0	.417	245	326
Dallas	1	11	0	.083	182	427

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STEELER CHAMPIONSHIP FOES

1953 SCHEDULE

Sept. 27—Colts
Oct. 4—Packers
Oct. 11*-Colts
Oct. 18*-49ers
Oct. 25—Rams
Nov. 1-49ers
Nov. 15—Redskins
Nov. 22*-Lions
Dec. 6—Lions
Dec. 13*-Cardinals

* Home Games

CHICAGO BEARS

Address: 233 W. Madison St. . . . Phone: DEarborn 2-5400.

Head Coach: George Halas . . . 28th Year.

Publicity: Frank Korch . . . Team Colors: Orange, Navy Blue and White.

Home Field: Wrigley Field . . . Seating Capacity: 50,000.

Leading Scorers: George Blanda, Gene Schroeder.

Leading Runners: Fred Morrison, John Dottley.

Leading Passers: Bob Williams, Steve Romanik.

Leading Receivers: Gene Schroeder, Billy Stone.

Other Star Veterans: Ed Sprinkle, George Connor,

Dick Barwegen, Wayne Hansen, John Dottley.

Billy Stone, Fred Williams, Bill George.

Outstanding New Players: Tommy O'Connell, Joe Fortunato, Billy Anderson, Andy Kozar, Don Bingham, James Moore, John Kreamcheck, Joe Koch, Bill Gregus.

1952 Record: Won 5; Lost 7; Tied 0; Points 245; Opponents Points 326.
1952 Standing: (In Conference) 5th.

All-Time vs. Steelers: Won 13; Lost 0; Tied 0.

1953 SCHEDULE

Sept. 27*-Steelers Oct. 3-Colts Oct. 11*-49ers Oct. 18*-Rams Oct. 25-49ers Nov. 1-Rams Nov. 8*-Colts Nov. 15-Packers Nov. 22-Bears Nov. 26*-Packers Dec. 6*-Bears Dec. 13-Giants

* Home Games

DETROIT LIONS

Address: 1401 Michigan Ave. . . . Phone, WOodward 5-6644.

Head Coach: Raymond K. (Buddy) Parker ... Third Year.

Publicity: Bud Erickson...Team Colors: Honolulu Blue and Silver.

Home Field: Briggs Stadium . . . Seating Capacity: 53.433.

Leading Scorers: Cloyce Box, 90 points, 15 TD's.
Pat Harder, 85 points, 3 TD's, 34 extra points,
11 FG's.

Leading Runners: Bob Hoernschemeyer, 106 attempts, 457 yards gained, 4.3 average, 4 TD's.

Bobby Layne, 94 attempts, 411 yards gained, 4.4 average, 1 TD.

Leading Passers: Bobby Layne, 287 attempts, 139 completions, 1,999 yards, 20 intercepted, average gain, 6.97.

Leading Receivers: Cloyce Box, 42 for 924 yards, 15 TD's; Leon Hart, 32 for 376 yards, 4 TD's.

- Other Star Veterans: Jim Doran (Iowa State), Lou Creekmur (William and Mary), Thurman McGraw (Colo. A & M), John Prchlik (Yale), Les Bingaman (Illinois), Dick Stanfel (USF), Vince Vanonis (Detroit), Jack Christiansen (Colo. A & M), Jug Girard (Wisconsin), Bob Smith (Iowa), Doak Walker (SMU),
- Outstanding New Players: Harley Sewell (Texas), Oliver Spencer (Kansas), Joe Schmidt (Pittsburgh), Lewis Carpenter (Arkansas), Carlton McCormack (TCU).
- 1952 Record: Won 10*; Lost 3; Tied 0; Points 344; Opponents Points 192. (Does not include points of L. A. or Cleveland playoffs.)

1952 Standing: (In Conference), First.

All-Time vs. Steelers: Won 8; Lost 4; Tied 0.

* Includes Conference Playoff.

Championship Game-Detroit 17, Cleveland 7.

1953 SCHEDULE

Sept. 27*-Giants
Oct. 4—49ers
Oct. 11-Packers
Oct. 18-Lions
Oct. 25*-Bears
Nov. 1*-Lions
Nov. 8*-49ers
Nov. 15-Cardinals
Nov. 22-Colts
Nov. 29-Bears
Dec. 6*-Colts

Dec 13*-Packers

* Home Games

LOS ANGELES RAMS

Address: 7813 Beverly Blvd., L. A. . . . Phone: WEbster 3-8291.

Head Coach: Hampton Pool . . . Second Year.

Publicity: Pete Rozelle . . . Team Colors: Royal Blue, Gold and White.

Home Field: Memorial Coliseum . . . Seating Capacity: 101,296.

Leading Scorers: Bob Waterfield 83 points on 1 TD, 11 FG's and 44 PAT's. Dan Towler, 60 points on 10 TD's.

Leading Runners: Dan Towler 156 tries, 894 yards, 5.72 average; Paul Younger, 63 tries, 331 yards, 5.25 average; Skeet Quinlan, 52 tries, 224 yards, 4.31 average.

Leading Passers: Norman Van Brocklin, 205 passes, 113 completions, 1,736 yards, 14 TD's; Bob Waterfield, 109 Passes, 51 completions, 655 yards, 3 TD's.

Leading Receivers: Tom Fears, 48 caught for 600 yards and 6 TD's; Bob Carey, 36 caught for 539 yards, 1 TD; Elroy Hirsch, 25 caught for 590 yards. 4 TD's.

Other Star Veterans: Backs-V. T. Smith, Dick Lane and Herb Rich; Linemen: Stan West, Don Paul, Andy Robustelli and Jim Winkler.

Outstanding New Players: Rudy Bukich (USC) and Sam Baker (Oregon State), backs; Linemen—Donn Moomaw (UCLA), linebacker; Ed Barker (Washington State), end; Bob Fry (Kentucky), tackle; Tom Scott (Virginia) end, John Hock (Santa Clara), tackle

*1952 Record: Won 9; Lost 3; Tied 0; Points 349; Opponents Points 234.

1952 Standing: (In Conference), Second.

All-Time vs. Steelers: Won 5; Lost 0; Tied 2.

*Beaten by Detroit, 31-21, in Western Division playoff for title.

Sept. 27*-Bears
Oct. 3*-Lions
Oct. 11-Bears
Oct. 18-Packers
Oct. 25*-Redskins
Oct. 31*-Packers
Nov. 7--Lions
Nov. 15--Eagles
Nov. 22*-Rams
Nov. 29*-49ers
Dec. 5--Rams
Dec. 13--49ers

* Home Games

BALTIMORE COLTS

Address: 2013 N. Charles St. . . Phone: HO-8087. Head Coach: Keith Molesworth . . . First Year.

Publicity: Sammy Banks . . . Team Colors: Green and White or Blue and White.

Home Field, Memorial Stadium . . . Seating Capacity: 45,000.

Leading Scorers: George Taliaferro, Buddy Young, 30 points; Zollie Toth, 24 points.

Leading Runners: Zollie Toth, 82 tries, 266 yards; Buddy Young, 71 tries, 243 yards; George Taliaferro, 100 tries, 419 yards.

Leading Passers: Frank Tripucka, 174 attempts, 86 completions, 637 yards, 3 TD's; Bob Celeri, Tom Dublinski.

Leading Receivers: Buddy Young. 22 for 269 yards, 2 TD's; George Taliaferro, 21 for 244 yards, 1 TD.

Other Star Veterans: Bert Rechichar, Gino Marchetti, Barney Poole, Alex Agase, Tom Kalmanir.

Outstanding New Players: Buck McPhail, Elmer Wingate, Elmer Wilhoite, Harry Agganis.

1952 Record: (Dallas) Won 1; Lost 11; Tied 0; Points 182; Opponents Points

1952 Standing: (In Conference), Last, (That was Dallas).

All-Time vs. Steelers: Won ____; Lost ____; Tied ____. (No previous record.)

1953 SCHEDULE

Sept. 27—Packers
Oct. 4—Cardinals
Oct. 11*-Eagles
Oct. 18—Redskins
Oct. 25—Giants
Nov. 1*-Redskins
Nov. 8*-Steelers
Nov. 15*-49ers
Nov. 22-Steelers
Nov. 29*-Cardinals
Dec. 6*-Giants
Dec. 13—Eagles

* Home Games

CLEVELAND BROWNS

Address: 405 Leader Bldg. . . . Phone: TO 1-3400. Head Coach: Paul Brown . . . 8th Year, 4th NFL. Publicity: Russ Gestner . . . Team Colors: Seal Brown, Orange, White and Silver.

Home Field: Cleveland Municipal Stadium . . . Seating Capacity: 78,207.

Leading Scorers: Lou Groza, 32 extra points, 19 FG-89 points; Dub Jones, 6 TD's, 36 points. Lifetime: Lou Groza, 1 TD, 278 extra points, 72 FG-495 points.

Leading Runners: Marion Motley, 104 attempts for 444 yards. Ken Carpenter, 72 attempts for 408 yards. Lifetime: Marion Motley, 794 attempts for 4,551 yards.

Leading Passers: Otto Graham, 364 attempts, 181 completions for 2,816 yards and 20 TD's. Lifetime: Otto Graham, 1,943 attempts, 1,057 completions for 17,049 yards and 137 TD's.

Leading Receivers: MacSpeedie, caught 62 for 911 yards and 5 TD's; Dub Jones, caught 43 for 651 yards and 4 TD's. Lifetime: MacSpeedie, caught 349 for 5,602 yards and 33 TD's.

Other Star Veterans: Dante Lavelli, end; Horace Gillom, end; Harry Jagade, fullback; George Ratterman, quarterback; Frank Gatski, center; Abe Gibron, guard; Len Ford, end; Warren Lahr, halfback; Bill Willis, guard.

Outstanding New Players: Doug Atkins (U. of Tenn), tackle; Bill Reynolds (U. of Pittsburgh), back; Fred Bruney (Ohio State), back; Tom Catlin. (U. of Oklahoma), center; Ed Rowland (U. of Oklahoma), tackle; Elmo Natali (California, Pa. Teachers), back.

1952 Record: Won 8; Lost 4; Tied 0; Points 310; Opponents Points 213.

1952 Standing: (In Conference), First.

1953 SCHEDULE

Sept. 27*-Redskins

Oct. 4"-Browns

Oct. 11—Steelers Oct. 18—Giants Oct. 25*-Eagles

Nov. 1*-Giants

Nov. 22-Engles

Nov. 29-Browns

Dec. 6*-Steelers Dec. 13-Bears

* Home Games

Nov. 8-Redskins Nov. 15*-Rams

All-Time vs. Steelers: Won 6: Lost 0: Tied 0.

CHICAGO CARDINALS

Address: 511 S. Plymouth Court . . . Phone: WAbash 2-9334.

Head Coach: Joe Stydahar . . . First Year.

Publicity: Eddie McGuire . . . Team Colors: Cardinal Red and White.

Home Field: Comiskey Park . . . Seating Capacity: 46.817.

Leading Scorers: Ollie Matson (USF), 54 points on 9 TD's; Joe Geri (Georgia), 28 points on 22 PAT's and 2 FG's; Charley Trippi (Georgia) and Billy Cross (West Texas State), 24 points on 4 TD's.

Leading Runners: Trippi, 72 tries, 350 yards, 4.86

average; Emil Sitko (Notre Dame), 88 tries, 348 yards, 3.95 average; Cross, 71 tries, 347 yards, 4.89 average; Matson, 96 tries, 344 yards, 3.58 average.

Leading Passers: Trippi, 81 passes, 84 completions, 890 yards, 5 TD's.

Leading Receivers: Don Stonesifer (Northwestern), 54 for 617 yards; Cross, 17 for 234 yards, 2 TD's.

Other Star Veterans: Jack Jennings (Ohio State), Jerry Groom and John Panelli (Notre Dame), Jack Simmons (Detroit), Don Joyce and Bill Svoboda (Tulane), S. J. Whitman (Tulsa), Johnny Karras (Illinois), Leo Sanford (Louisiana Tech), Volney Peters (USC), Fran Polsfoot and Don Paul (Washington State), Cliff Anderson (Indiana).

Outstanding New Players: John Olszewski (California), Dale Samuels (Purdue), Jim Psaltis (USC), Buck Martin (Georgia Tech), Ed Woodsum (Yale), Frank McPhee (Princeton), Bill Shalosky (Cincinnati), Ed Hussman (Nebraska), Tony Curcillo (Ohio State), Tom Higgins (N. Carolina).

1952 Record: Won 4; Lost 8; Tied 0; Points 172; Opponents Points 221.

1952 Standing: (In Conference), Fifth.

All-Time vs. Steelers: Won 4; Lost 10; Tied 1.

Sept. 27—49ers
Oct. 2 or 3*-Redskins
Oct. 11—Browns
Oct. 18*-Steelers
Oct. 25—Cardinals
Nov. 1—Steelers
Nov. 8*-Giants
Nov. 15*-Colts
Nov. 29—Giants
Dec. 6—Redskins
Dec. 13*-Browns

* Home Games

PHILADELPHIA EAGLES

Address: 15th and Locust Sts. . . . Phone: PEnnypacker 5-4014.

Head Coach: James (Tiny) Trimble . . . Year 1953.

Publicity: Ed Hogan . . . Team Colors: Kelly Green and White.

Home Field: Connie Mack Stadium . . . Seating Capacity: 40,121.

Leading Scorer: Walston, 82 points.

Leading Runners: Steve Van Buren, Ralph Goldston Al Pollard, Don Stevens, John Huzvar, Jim Parmer.

Leading Passer: Bobby Thomas on 212 passes, 95 completions.

Leading Receivers: Bobby Walston, 26 for 469 yards; Don Stevens, 13 for 174 yards.

Other Star Veterans: Mike Jarmoluk, Ebert Van Buren, Norman Willey, Chuck Bednarik, Vic Sears, Bibbles Bawel, Ben Farragut, Wayne Robinson, Ken Snyder, John Magee, Russ Craft, Frank Kilroy.

Outstanding New Players: Al Conway (Army and William Jewell); Don Johnson (California); George Mrkonic (Kansas); Bob Pollard (Penn State); Jack DelBello (Miami, Fla.); John Michels (Tennessee); Jeff Knox (Georgia Tech); Marvin Trauth (Mississippi); Stonewall Jackson (North Carolina A & T).

1952 Record; Won 7; Lost 5; Tied 0; Points 252; Opponents Points 271.

1952 Standing: (In Conference), Tied for Second.

All-Time vs. Steelers: Won 21; Lost 13; Tied 1.

1953 SCHEDULE

Sept. 27—Cardinals
Oct. 2—Eagles
Oct. 11*-Giants
Oct. 18*-Browns
Oct. 25—Colts
Nov. 1—Browns
Nov. 8*-Cardinals
Nov. 15*-Bears
Nov. 22—Giants
Nov. 29—Steelers
Dec. 6*-Eagles

Dec. 13*-Steelers
* Home Games

WASHINGTON REDSKINS

Address: 9th and H Sts., N. W. ... Phone: District 7-6140.

Head Coach: Earl L. (Curly) Lambeau. Year 1953.
Publicity: Dick McCann... Team Colors: Burgundy and Gold.

Home Field: Griffith Stadium . . . Seating Capacity, 37,811.

Leading Runners: Leon Heath (Oklahoma), 90 attempts, 388 yards, 4.3 average; Harry Gilmer (Alabama), 100 attempts, 365 yards, 3.7 average; Julie Rykovich (Illinois), 94 attempts, 361 yards, 3.8 average.

Leading Passers: Eddie LeBaron (Col. of Pacific), 194 passes, 95 completions, 1,420 yards, 14 TD's; Harry Gilmer (Alabama), 58 attempts, 31 completions, 555 yards, 4 TD's.

Leading Receivers: Hugh Taylor (Okla. City U.), 41 for 961 yards, 12 TD's; Julie Rykovich (Illinois), 16 for 282 yards, 1 TD; Gene Brito (Loyola

of L. A.), 21 for 270 yards, 2 TD's.

Other Star Veterans: Charlie Justice (North Carolina), Johnny Papit (Virginia), Chuck Drazenovich (Penn State), Paul Lipscomb (Tennessee), Johnny Williams (U. of Southern California), Joe Tereshinski (Georgia), Gene Pepper (Missouri), Andy Davis (George Washington), Laurie Niemi (Washington State), John Yonakor (Notre Dame), Jim Ricca (Georgetown).

Outstanding New Players: Jack Scarbath (Maryland), Dick Modzelewski (Maryland), Paul Dekker (Michigan State), Don Boll (Nebraska), Nick Carras (Missouri), Alex Webster (N. Carolina State), Lewis Weidensaul

(Maryland), Madison Nutter (VPI).

1952 Record: Won 4; Lost 8; Tied 0; Points 100; Opponents Points 73.

1952 Standing: (In Conference), Fifth.

All-Time vs. Steelers: Won 20; Lost 7; Tied 1.

1953 SCHEDULE

Sept. 27—Rams
Oct. 5—Steelers
Oct. 11—Redskins
Oct. 18*—Cardinals
Oct. 25*—Browns
Nov. 1—Cardinals
Nov. 8—Eagles
Nov. 15*—Steelers
Nov. 22*—Redskins
Nov. 29*—Eagles
Dec. 6—Browns

Dec. 13*-Lions
* Home Games

NEW YORK GIANTS

Address: 11 West 42nd St. . . . Phone: CHickering 4-3400.

Head Coach: Steve Owen . . . 29th Year.

Publicity: Ray Walsh . . . Team Colors: Red, White and Blue.

Home Field: Polo Grounds . . . Seating Capacity: 48,795.

Leading Scorers: Ray Poole, 56 points on 26 PAT and 10 FG's; Bob McChesney, 36 points, 6TD's.

Leading Runners: Eddie Price, 183 tries, 748 yards, 4.1 yard average; Kyle Rote, 103 tries, 401 yards, 3.9 yard average.

Leading Passers: Charley Conerly, 169 passes, 82 completions, 1,090 yards, 13 TD's; Fred Benners, 58 passes, 25 completions, 320 yards, 0 TD.

Leading Receivers: Bill Stribling, 26 for 399 yards, 5 TD's; Bob McChesney, 21 for 432 yards, 6 TD's.

Other Star Veterans: Emlen Tunnell, Arnie Weinmeister, Jon Baker, John Cannady, Tom Landry, Frank Gifford, Jim Duncan, Tex Coulte, Randy Clay (service returnee), Val Joe Walker, Jack Stroud, DeWayne Douglas.

Outstanding New Players: Everett Grandelins, Buford Long, Merwin Hodel.

1952 Record: Won 7; Lost 5; Tied 0; Points 234; Opponents Points 231.

1952 Standing: (In Conference) Second, (Tie).

All-Time vs. Steelers: Won 20; Lost 12; Tied 2.

Sept. 27#-Browns
Oct. 4*-Bears
Oct. 11*-Rams
Oct. 18*-Colts
Oct. 25-Steelers
Nov. 1--Colts
Nov. 8-Bears
Nov. 15*-Lions
Nov. 22*-49ers
Nov. 26-Lions
Dec. 6--19ers
Dec. 13--Rams
* Green Bay

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GREEN BAY PACKERS

Address: 349 S. Washington St . . . Phone: Adams 333-334.

Head Coach: Gene Ronzani . . , Year 1953.

Publicity: F. L. "Jug" Earp . . . Team Colors: Green Gold and Navy Blue.

Home Field Seating Capacity: City Stadium, Green Bay, 25,000; Milwaukee County Stadium, Milwaukee, 37,000.

Leading Scorers: Bill Howton, 78 points, 13 TD's; Fred Cone, 53 points, 3 TD's, 32 PAT's, 1 FG; Bob Mann, 36 points, 6 TD's.

Leading Runners: Tobin Rote, 58 attempts, 313 yards, 5.4 average gain; Fred Cone, 70 attempts,

276 yards, 3.9 average gain; Bob Jack Floyd, 61 attempts, 236 yards, 3.9 average gain.

Leading Passers:	Atts.	Comp.	Yds.	TDs.	Lgst.	Int.	Gain	Comp.
Tobin Rote	157	82	1,268	13	81t	8	8.08	52.2
Babe Parilli	177	77	1,416	13	90t	17	8.00	43.5
Leading Receivers: Bill Howton Bob Mann	Dex	No. 53 30	Yds. 1,231 576	T	Ds. 13 6	Lgst. 90t 42	Avg. Ga 23.2 17.2	The Cartier of the Ca

Other Star Veterans: Ab Wimberly, John Martinkovic, Deral Teteak, Jay Rhodemyre, Dave Hanner, Floyd Reid, Bob Dillon, Ace Loomis, Bob Forte, Bobby Jack Floyd.

Outstanding New Players: Al Carmichael (USC), Gil Reich (Kansas), Bill Forester (SMU), Gib Dawson (Texas), Roger Zatkoff (Michigan), Bob Kennedy (Wisconsin), Jack Morgan (Michigan State), Bill Georges (Texas), Lauren Hargrove (Georgia).

1952 Record: Won 6; Lost 6; Tied 0; Points 295; Opponents Points 312.

1952 Standing: (In Conference), 4th National Conference.

All-Time vs. Steelers: Won 10; Lost 4; Tied 0.



Sept. 27*-Eagles
Oct. 4*-Rams
Oct. 11--Lions
Oct. 18--Bears
Oct. 25*-Lions
Nov. 1*-Bears
Nov. 15--Browns
Nov. 22--Packers
Nov. 29--Colts
Dec. 6*-Packers
Dec. 13*-Colts

* Home Games

SAN FRANCISCO 49ers

Address: 760 Market, S. F. 2 . . . Phone: DOuglas 2-3812.

Head Coach: Lawrence (Buck) Shaw.... 7th Year.
Publicity: Dan F. McGuire... Team Colors: Cardinal and Silver.

Home Field: Kezar Stadium . . . Scating Capacity: 60,000.

Leading Scorers: Gordy Soltau (Minnesota, league's leading scorer with 94 points on 7 TD's, 34 extra points, 6 field goals.

Leading Runners: Joe Perry (Compton), 3rd in league, 158 tries, 725 yards, 4.6 average; Hugh McElhenny (Washington), 4th in league, 98 tries, 684 yards, 7.0 average.

Leading Passers; Frankie Albert (Stanford), 129 passes, 71 completions, 964 yards, 8 TD's; Y. A. Tittle (LSU), 208 passes, 106 completions, 1,407 yards, 11 TD's.

Leading Receivers: Soltau tied for 3rd with 55 for 774 yards, 7 TD's; McElhenny, 26 for 367 yards, 3 TD's.

Other Star Veterans: Backs—Joe Arenas (Omaha), Pete Schabarum (California—returning from service); Jim Powers (USC); Lowell Wagner (USC); Hardy Brown (Tulsa). Linemen—Leo Nomellini (Minnesota); Don Burke (USC); Bill Johnson (Tyler, Tex., J. C.); Bruno Banducci (Standford); Billy Wilson (San Jose State); Visco Grgich (Santa Clara); Nick Feber (Georgia); Gail Bruce (Washington).

Outstanding New Players: Harry Babcock (Georgia); George Morris (Georgia Tech); Ed Fullerton (Maryland); Hal Miller (Georgia Tech); Hal Ledyard (Chattanooga); Pete Brown (Ceorgia Tech); Bob St. Clair (Tulsa); J. D. Kimmel (Houston).

1952 Record: Won 7; Lost 5; Tied 0; Points 285; Opponents Points 221

1952 Standing: (In Conference), Third.

All-Time vs. Steelers: Won I; Lost 1; Tied 0.

RECORD CROWDS AT FORBES FIELD

Visiting Team	Attendance	Date
Washington Redskins	39,060	November 3, 1946
Philadelphia Eagles	38,882	November 17, 1946
Washington Redskins	38,642	October 25, 1942
Detroit Lions	36,374	September 21, 1947
Washington Redskins	36,257	November 9, 1947
Philadelphia Eagles	35,927	December 21, 1947

· Eastern Division Playoff Game.

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Address: 233 W. Madison St., Chicago 6, III. Phone: DEarborn 2-5400 Head Coach: George Halas Publicity: Frank Korch Home Field: Wrigley Field Colors: Orange, Navy Blue and White

SAN FRANCISCO 49ers

Address: 760 Market St., S. F. 2, Cal. Phone: Douglas 2-3812 Head Coach: Lawrence T. (Buck) Shaw Publicity: Dan F. McGuire Home Field: Kezar Stadium Colors: Cardinal and Silver

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GREEN BAY PACKERS

Address: 349 S. Washington St., Green Bay, Wisconsin Phone: Adams 333-334 Head Coach: Gene Ronzani Publicity: Jug Earp Home Fields: City Stadium, Green Bay Milwaukee County Stadium Colors: Navy Blue, Green and Gold

LOS ANGELES RAMS

Address: 7813 Beverly Blvd., Los Angeles, California Phone: WEbster 3-8291 Head Coach: Hampton Pool Publicity: Pete Rozelle Home Field: Memorial Coliseum Colors: Royal Blue, Gold and White

BALTIMORE COLTS

Address: 2013 N. Charles St., Baltimore. Maryland Phone: HO. 8087 Head Coach: Keith Molesworth Publicity: Sam Banks Home Field: Memorial Stadium Colors: Green and White or Blue and White

American Conference

CHICAGO CARDINALS

Address: 511 S. Plymouth Ct., Chicago 5, 111. Phone: WAbash 2-9334 Head Coach: Joe Stydahar Publicity: Eddie McGuire Home Field: Comiskey Park Colors: Cardinal Red and White

CLEVELAND BROWNS

Address: 405 Leader Bldg., Cleveland 14, Ohio Phone: TOwer 1-3400 Head Coach: Paul Brown Publicity: Russ Gestner Home Field: Municipal Stadium Colors: Seal Brown, Orange, White

NEW YORK GIANTS

Address: 11 West 42nd St., New York 18. New York Phone: CHickering 4-3400 Head Coach: Steve Owen Publicity: Ray Walsh Home Field: Polo Grounds Colors Red, White and Blue

PHILADELPHIA EAGLES

Address: 15th and Locust Sts., Phila., Pa. Phone: PEnnypacker 5-4014 Ilead Coach: James Trimble Publicity: Ed Hogan Home Field: Connie Mack Stadium Colors: Kelly Green and White

PITTSBURGH STEELERS

Address: 521 Grant St., Pittsburgh 19, Pa Phone: GRant 1-2150 Head Coach: Joe Bach Publicity: Ed Kiely Home Field: Forbes Field Colors: Gold and Black

WASHINGTON REDSKINS

Address: 9th and H Sts., N. W. Washing-Address: 9th and 11 515., N. w ton, D. C. Phone: District 7-6140 Head Coach: Earl L. Lambeau Publicity: Dick McCann Home Field: Griffith Stadium Colors: Burgundy and Gold

THE NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE 1953 SCHEDULE

SUNDAY, SEPT. 27	SUNDAY, NOV. 8					
Chicago Bears at Baltimore 2:05 Cleveland vs. Green Bay at Milwaukee 1:35 New York at Los Angeles 2:00 Philadelphia at San Francisco 2:00 Pittsburgh at Detroit 2:03	Chicago Cards at Washington 2:00 Green Bay at Chicago Bears 1:05 New York at Philadelphia 2:05 Pittsburgh at Cleveland 2:05 San Francisco at Los Angeles 2:00					
Washington at Chicago Cards 1:05	SUNDAY, NOV. 15					
FRIDAY, OCT. 2 (Night) Washington at Philadelphia8:35	Baltimore at Philadelphia 2:05 Chicago Bears at Washington 2:00 Detroit at Green Bay 1:05					
SATURDAY, OCT. 3 (Night) Detroit at Baltimore	Los Angeles at Chicago Cards 1:05 Pittsburgh at New York 2:05 San Francisco at Cleveland 2:05					
SUNDAY, OCT. 4	SATURDAY, NOV. 21 (Night)					
Chicago Bears at Green Bay 1:35 Cleveland at Chicago Cards 1:05	Chicago Cards at Philadelphia 8:00					
Los Angeles at San Francisco2:00	SUNDAY, NOV. 22					
SATURDAY, OCT. 10 (Night) Philadelphia at Cleveland8:30	Cleveland at Pittsburgh 2:05 Detroit at Chicago Bears 1:05 Los Angeles at Baltimore 2:05 San Francisco vs. Green Bay at					
SUNDAY, OCT. 11 Baltimore at Chicago Bears 1:05 Chicago Cards at Pittsburgh 2:05	Milwaukee1:05 Washington at New York2:05					
Los Angeles vs. Green Bay at	THURSDAY, NOV. 26 (Thanksgiving)					
Milwaukee 1:35 New York at Washington 2:00	Green Bay at Detroit12:03					
San Francisco at Detroit2:03	SUNDAY, NOV. 29					
SATURDAY, OCT. 17 (Night) Pittsburgh at Philadelphia 8:00	Chicago Cards at Cleveland 2:05 Los Angeles at Chicago Bears 1:05 Philadelphia at New York 2:05					
SUNDAY, OCT. 18 Baltimore at Green Bay 1:35	San Francisco at Baltimore 2:05 Washington at Pittsburgh 2:05					
Chicago Cards at New York	SATURDAY, DEC. 5					
Los Angeles at Detroit2:03	Baltimore at Los Angeles 2:00					
San Francisco at Chicago Bears 1:05	SUNDAY, DEC. 6					
SATURDAY, OCT. 24 (Night)	Chicago Bears at Detroit2:03					
Green Bay at Pittsburgh8:00	Green Bay at San Francisco2:00					
SUNDAY, OCT. 25	New York at Cleveland 2:05					
Chicago Bears at Los Angeles 2:00	Philadelphia at Washington 2:00					
Cleveland at New York2:05	Pittsburgh at Chicago Cards1:05					
Detroit at San Francisco2:00	SATURDAY, DEC. 12					
Philadelphia at Chicago Cards 1:05 Washington at Baltimore 2:05	Green Bay at Los Angeles2:00					
SATURDAY, OCT. 31 (Night)	SUNDAY, DEC. 13					
Green Bay at Baltimore 8:00	Baltimore at San Francisco 2:00					
	Chicago Cards at Chicago Bears 1:05					
SUNDAY, NOV. 1	Cleveland at Philadelphia 2:05					
Chicago Bears at San Francisco 2:00 Detroit at Los Angeles 2:00	Detroit at New York 2:05					
New York at Chicago Cards1:05	Pittsburgh at Washington 2:00					
Philadelphia at Pittsburgh 2:05	SUNDAY, DEC. 27					
Washington at Cleveland 2:05	World's Championship Playoff Game in					
SATURDAY, NOV. 7 (Night)	home city of Western Conference					



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